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### Local Recreation Progress in 1927

New play areas opened in 1927 for the first time	860
Total number of separate play spaces reported	10,770
Indoor recreation centers	2,156
Ball fields	2,917
Tennis courts	6,977
Swimming pools	840
Bathing beaches	403
Summer camps under recreation systems	231
Municipal golf courses	263
Number of cities in which land or property was donated for recreation	56
Total expenditure reported for public recreation in 1927	\$32,191,763.32
Total number of play leaders working without pay	7,025
Total number of workers employed	19,825
Cities reporting play areas	815
Approximate number cities and towns over 8,000 population not reporting a single playground	300

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Since the friends of the movement organized, the average number of cities starting playgrounds each two year period has been greater than for the entire twenty year period without national organization.



## **The Service of the Playground and Recreation Association of America in 1927**

**339** cities were given personal service, upon request, through periodic visits of field workers.

**192** cities used the special service of Association directed to finding and training local recreation workers.

**23,600** requests for help from **5,441** different communities were cared for by the Correspondence and Consultation Service.

**4,400** individuals received each month **THE PLAYGROUND** magazine, the tool kit of the recreation worker.

**2,500** communities were covered in securing a comprehensive Year Book of recreation developments throughout the country.

**164** cities in **39** states were represented by **500** delegates at the Fourteenth National Recreation Congress held at Memphis, Tenn.

**36,612** boys and girls in **436** cities passed the Association's progressively graded physical fitness tests.

**40** graduates from **30** colleges in **15** states were accepted for the second year's post graduate course in community recreation.

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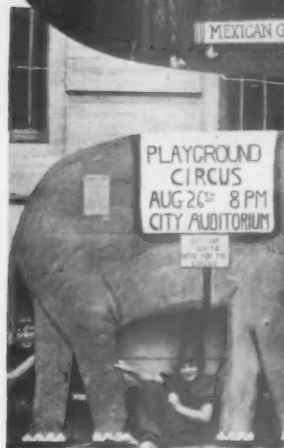
If we are ready to help adequately those seeking knowledge and expert leadership, practically every child in an American community of 8,000 population can live in a town or city which has playgrounds before January 1, 1930.



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# Community Recreation Leadership in 815 Cities

Substantial progress in the community recreation movement is shown in the 1927 reports from 815 cities maintaining community recreation programs under leadership. This is the greatest number of cities which have ever reported, and is an increase of 310 during the last five years.

Most encouraging is the increase in the number of paid leaders from 10,867 in 1922 to 19,825 in 1927. Seven thousand and twenty-five volunteer leaders are reported for 1927. Other significant indications of growth are found in the total of 10,770 separate play areas under leadership and in the number of city governments appropriating funds for the support of community recreation activities. Training institutes for employed leaders were reported by 146 cities. In 143 of these cities the total enrollment of workers was 6,657. The enrollment of volunteer workers in the training institutes in 74 of the 82 cities reporting was 4,732.

Recreation workers and the many friends of the movement may again feel a great satisfaction and encouragement in its continued growth.

## Employed Workers

Of the 815 cities represented in the 1927 Year Book, 728 cities report 19,825 workers employed to give leadership for community recreation activities. Of this total 8,926 were men and 10,899 were women. The number of cities employing year round workers shows an increase of 116 over the number reported in 1922, five years ago; 321 cities reporting 2,802 workers employed the year round.

The steady increase in the number of workers employed for recreation leadership is reflected in the following comparison of figures for 1922 and 1927:

	1922	1927
Cities reporting .....	505	815
Men workers employed.....	4,204	8,926
Women workers employed.....	6,603	10,899
Total workers .....	10,867	19,825
Cities reporting workers employed the year round.....	215	321

## Volunteers

In 203 cities the help of 7,025 trained volunteers was enlisted in carrying out the community recreation program. Of this number 3,535 are men and 3,490 are women.

## Play Areas Under Leadership

A total of 10,770 separate play areas under leadership is reported. This is an increase of 647 over 1926. Following is an analysis of the length of term of these areas where reported:

### Outdoor Playgrounds

The reports on outdoor playgrounds are summarized as follows:

Cities reporting .....	714
Total number of outdoor playgrounds.....	6,021
	113

Open year round (205 cities).....	1,473	
Open during the summer months (596 cities).....	4,137	
Open other seasons (56 cities).....	411	
Total average daily attendance of participants (535 cities) .....		1,220,609
Total average daily attendance of spectators (215 cities) .....		164,173
Total number of outdoor playgrounds open in 1927 for the first time (215 cities)....		613

In addition outdoor playgrounds for colored children were reported as follows:

Cities reporting .....		118
Total number of playgrounds for colored children.....		280
Open year round (42 cities).....	82	
Open summer months (85 cities).....	181	
Open other seasons (9 cities).....	17	
Total average daily attendance of participants (72 cities) .....		33,813
Total average daily attendance of spectators (29 cities) .....		4,975
Total number of playgrounds for colored children open in 1927 for the first time (28 cities) .....		37

### Indoor Recreation Centers

Cities reporting .....		264
Total number of indoor recreation centers.....		2,053
Open year round (104 cities).....	480	
Open school year (132 cities).....	1,108	
Open other seasons (66 cities).....	465	
Total average daily attendance of participants (133 cities) .....		233,548
Total average daily attendance of spectators (62 cities) .....		50,959
Total number of indoor recreation centers open in 1927 for the first time (67 cities) ..		171

Indoor recreation centers for colored citizens are reported as follows:

Cities reporting .....		51
Total number of indoor recreation centers for colored citizens .....		103
Open year round (24 cities).....	44	
Open school year (24 cities).....	45	
Open other seasons (7 cities).....	14	
Total average daily attendance of participants (20 cities) .....		5,034
Total average daily attendance of spectators (11 cities) .....		1,723
Total number of indoor recreation centers for colored citizens open in 1927 for first time (9 cities) .....		9

### Community Houses

Community houses used for recreation purposes are reported as follows:

Cities reporting .....		141
Total number of community houses.....		313
Open year round (123 cities).....	277	
Open school year (10 cities).....	14	
Open other seasons (17 cities).....	22	
Total average daily attendance of participants (60 cities) .....		37,837
Total average daily attendance of spectators (23 cities) .....		5,543
Total number of community houses open in 1927 for the first time (23 cities).....		27

Community houses for colored citizens are reported as follows:

Cities reporting .....		32
Total number of community houses for colored citizens .....		36



Open year round (24 cities).....	27	
Open school year (2 cities).....	3	
Open other seasons (6 cities).....	6	
Total average daily attendance of participants (10 cities) .....		2,285
Total average daily attendance of spectators (2 cities) .....		400
Total number of community houses for colored citizens open 1927 for the first time (3 cities) .....		3

### **Bathing Beaches**

Two hundred fourteen cities report a total of 403 bathing beaches available for community use. The total seasonal or yearly attendance reported by 102 cities is 21,325,068.

### **Swimming Pools**

Three hundred sixty-four cities report a total of 840 swimming pools. The total seasonal or yearly attendance reported by 199 cities is 18,266,185.

### **Play Streets**

Thirty-one cities report a total of 227 streets closed for play. Nineteen cities report an average daily attendance of 13,055 at these street play areas.

### **Municipal Golf Courses**

One hundred eighty cities report a total of 263 golf courses maintained by the municipality. Eighty-nine cities report a seasonal or yearly attendance of 5,093,960.

### **Summer Camps**

Two hundred thirty-one summer camps maintained in connection with the recreation program are reported by 82 cities. Forty-two cities report a seasonal or yearly attendance of 230,724.

### **Other Play Areas**

Other play areas which do not come under the foregoing classifications are reported by 52 cities. The total number of areas is 694. The seasonal or yearly attendance reported by 15 of these cities is 901,133.

## **Special Play Areas**

The following summary of tennis courts, athletic fields and baseball fields includes all areas of these types whether they are separate areas or parts of larger areas reported in the above summaries.

### **Tennis Courts**

Five hundred twenty-one cities report a total of 6,977 tennis courts. The seasonal or yearly participation reported by 190 cities is 3,523,789.

### **Athletic Fields**

Four hundred fifty-nine cities report a total of 1,727 athletic fields. The seasonal or yearly participation reported by 114 cities is 3,372,200.

## Baseball Fields

Five hundred twenty-one cities report a total of 2,917 baseball fields. The seasonal or yearly participation reported by 150 cities is 1,430,621.

## Management

### Municipal

The forms of municipal administration in the 815 cities sending complete reports are summarized as follows:

<i>Managing Authority</i>	<i>No. of Cities</i>
Playground and Recreation Commissions, Departments, Divisions, Boards and Bureaus...	206
<u>Boards of Education</u> .....	134
Park Boards, Commissions, Departments and Bureaus or Park and Recreation Commissions .....	140
City Councils .....	26
Departments of Parks and Public Properties.....	17
Department or Boards of Public Works.....	10
Public Utilities Commissions.....	2
Departments of Public Welfare.....	3
Playground Athletic League.....	1
Bath House Commission.....	1
Shade Tree Commission.....	1
Municipal Sports Committee.....	1
Department of Public Safety.....	1
City Planning Commissions.....	3

In a number of cities municipal departments combined in the management of playgrounds and community centers as follows:

<i>Managing Authority</i>	<i>No. of Cities</i>
Recreation Departments and Boards of Education.....	4
<u>School Boards and City Councils</u> .....	3
Park and Playground Commission and School Recreation Department .....	1
Recreation Commission and Park District.....	1
Boards of Education and Park Boards.....	5
City Commissioners Board and Board of Education.....	1
Division of Public Welfare and Board of Education.....	1

In a number of cities municipal and private departments combined in the management of playgrounds and community centers as follows:

<i>Managing Authority</i>	<i>No. of Cities</i>
Community Service and Municipal Recreation Departments .....	3
Athletic and Recreation Association and Playground Commission .....	1
Board of Education, City Commission and Recreational Association.....	1
City Park Commission and Parent Teacher Association .....	1
Department of Parks and Public Property and Community Council .....	1
<u>Board of Education and Community Service</u> .....	1
Park Department and Jewett Memorial Field.....	1
Trees and Parks Department and Civic League.....	1
Municipal Playground Department and Lions Club.....	1
Playground Committee, Board of Education and Chamber of Commerce.....	1
Parent Teacher Association and City Council.....	1
Carnegie Steel Company and Board of Education.....	1



<u>Board of Education and Playground Association</u> .....	1
School, City and Progressive League.....	1
City Recreation Commission, Park Department and Community Service.....	1

## Private

Private organizations maintaining playgrounds, recreation centers or community recreation activities are reported as follows:

<i>Managing Authority</i>	<i>No. of Cities</i>
Playground and Recreation Associations, Leagues, Committees and Societies, Community Service Boards, Associations and Bureaus.....	151
Civic Welfare and Improvement Leagues and Neighborhood Associations .....	23
Women's Clubs .....	12
Parent Teacher Associations.....	10
Industrial Plants .....	11
Y. M. C. A.....	6
Chambers of Commerce.....	7
Rotary Clubs .....	5
Athletic Association .....	1
Kiwanis Clubs .....	2
Lions Clubs .....	2
Century Club .....	1
Mothers' Club .....	1
Business Men's Club.....	2
Memorial Associations .....	16
Y. W. C. A.....	1
Boys Club .....	2
Educational and Industrial Union.....	1
Harmon Field Committee.....	3
American Legion .....	4
American Red Cross.....	2
Miscellaneous .....	16

## Finances

The sources of support for community recreation activities in the 658 cities reporting expenditures in the Year Book table are summarized as follows:

<i>Source of Support</i>	<i>No. of Cities</i>
Municipal Funds .....	394
Private Funds .....	97
Municipal and Private Funds.....	164
County Funds .....	1
County, Municipal and Private Funds.....	1
Municipal, Private and State Funds.....	1

## Expenditures

The total expenditure for public recreation in 1927, as reported by 658 cities, is \$32,191,763.32. (The figures in italics indicate the number of cities reporting in each case.)

<i>Expended for</i>	<i>1922</i>	<i>1927</i>
Land, Buildings, Permanent Equipment.....	\$1,680,382.41 (171)	\$15,184,034.96 (233)
Upkeep, Supplies and Incidentals.....	2,209,965.23 (330)	4,432,361.18 (514)

Salaries .....	4,350,183.79 (372)	8,471,944.61 (536)
Total Expenditure .....	9,317,048.79 (472)	32,191,763.32 (658)

### Bond Issues

Forty-five cities reported bond issues totalling \$11,960,200.00 as follows:

<i>City</i>	<i>Amount of Bond Issue</i>
Burbank, Calif. ....	\$30,000.00
New Haven, Conn. ....	100,000.00
South Manchester, Conn. ....	20,000.00
Wilmington, Del. ....	20,000.00
Bradenton, Fla. ....	50,000.00
Coral Gables, Fla. ....	2,350,000.00
Lakeland, Fla. ....	80,000.00
Pensacola, Fla. ....	100,000.00
Sebring, Fla. ....	1,200.00
Alton, Ill. ....	100,000.00
Chicago, Ill. ....	6,385,000.00
Evanston, Ill. ....	60,000.00
Lake Forest, Ill. ....	45,000.00
Noblesville, Ind. ....	24,000.00
Frederick, Md. ....	50,000.00
Belmont, Mass. ....	20,000.00
Cambridge, Mass. ....	95,000.00
Holyoke, Mass. ....	29,000.00
Detroit, Mich. ....	190,000.00
Harbor Beach, Mich. ....	45,000.00
Duluth, Minn. ....	25,000.00
East Orange, N. J. ....	135,000.00
Elizabeth, N. J. ....	8,000.00
Summit, N. J. ....	40,000.00
Buffalo, N. Y. ....	150,000.00
Lackawanna, N. Y. ....	50,000.00
Mount Vernon, N. Y. ....	60,000.00
Port Chester, N. Y. ....	41,000.00
Syracuse, N. Y. ....	103,000.00
Troy, N. Y. ....	9,000.00
Yonkers, N. Y. ....	175,000.00
Cincinnati, O. ....	150,000.00
Cleveland, O. ....	472,000.00
Columbus, O. ....	47,000.00
Middletown, O. ....	20,000.00
Toledo, O. ....	215,000.00
Youngstown, O. ....	50,000.00
Erie, Pa. ....	48,000.00
N. S. Pittsburgh, Pa. ....	35,000.00
Scranton, Pa. ....	10,000.00
Charleston, S. C. ....	33,500.00
Memphis, Tenn. ....	63,000.00
San Antonio, Texas ....	150,000.00
Springfield, Vt. ....	1,500.00
Menasha, Wis. ....	75,000.00
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	\$11,960,200.00

## Donated Playground

That public-spirited citizens are recognizing the community value of land or property devoted to recreation purposes is evidenced by the number of gifts reported from year to year. Fifty-six cities report land or property donated during 1927. Fifty cities report the value of the property donated as follows:

<i>City</i>	<i>Value of Property</i>
El Dorado, Ark. ....	\$22,500.00
Colton, Cal. ....	150,000.00
Los Angeles, Cal. ....	200,000.00
Riverside, Cal. ....	21,000.00
San Francisco, Cal. ....	200,000.00
Branford, Conn. ....	15,000.00
Torrington, Conn. ....	5,000.00
Wilmington, Del. ....	4,000.00
Orlando, Fla. ....	115,000.00
Tampa, Fla. ....	127,000.00
Aurora, Ill. ....	75,000.00
Joliet, Ill. ....	25,000.00
Lake Forest, Ill. ....	50,000.00
Lafayette, Ind. ....	6,000.00
Muncie, Ind. ....	40,000.00
New Castle, Ind. ....	2,000.00
Atchison, Kan. ....	5,100.00
Independence Kan. ....	15,000.00
New Orleans, La. ....	10,000.00
Augusta, Me. ....	9,000.00
Derby, Me. ....	500.00
Waterville, Me. ....	15,000.00
Frederick, Md. ....	15,800.00
Dedham, Mass. ....	10,000.00
Montague, Mass. ....	500.00
Springfield, Mass. ....	67,600.00
Caspian, Mich. ....	2,250.00
Kalamazoo, Mich. ....	4,000.00
Kansas City, Mo. ....	500,000.00
Bozeman, Mont. ....	20,000.00
Albuquerque, N. M. ....	8,000.00
Auburn, N. Y. ....	2,000.00
Statesville, N. C. ....	30,000.00
Newark, Ohio ....	25,000.00
Salem, Ohio ....	5,000.00
Ponca City, Okla. ....	5,000.00
Bend, Ore. ....	2,000.00
Portland, Ore. ....	15,000.00
Brackenridge, Pa. ....	2,000.00
Conshohocken, Pa. ....	3,000.00
Lock Haven, Pa. ....	2,000.00
Charleston, S. C. ....	2,000.00
Elizabethton, Tenn. ....	10,000.00
Wichita Falls, Texas ....	15,000.00
Salt Lake City, Utah ....	30,000.00
Winchester, Va. ....	7,400.00
Aberdeen, Wash. ....	1,500.00

Tacoma, Wash. ....	\$4,500.00
London, Ontario, Canada .....	20,000.00
Montreal, Quebec, Canada .....	125,000.00
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	\$2,045,650.00

### Training Classes for Workers

A continued increase is observed in the number of cities maintaining training classes for employed and volunteer workers, as the following comparison shows (the figures in italics indicate the number of cities reporting):

	1922	1927
Cities reporting training classes for employed workers .....	70	146
Total number of workers enrolled .....	2,143 (47)	6,657 (143)
Cities reporting training classes for volunteer workers .....	70	82
Total number of volunteer workers enrolled.....	1,440 (39)	4,732 (74)

### Civil Service Examinations

Civil service examinations are required by 67 cities in filling recreation positions.

### League Activities

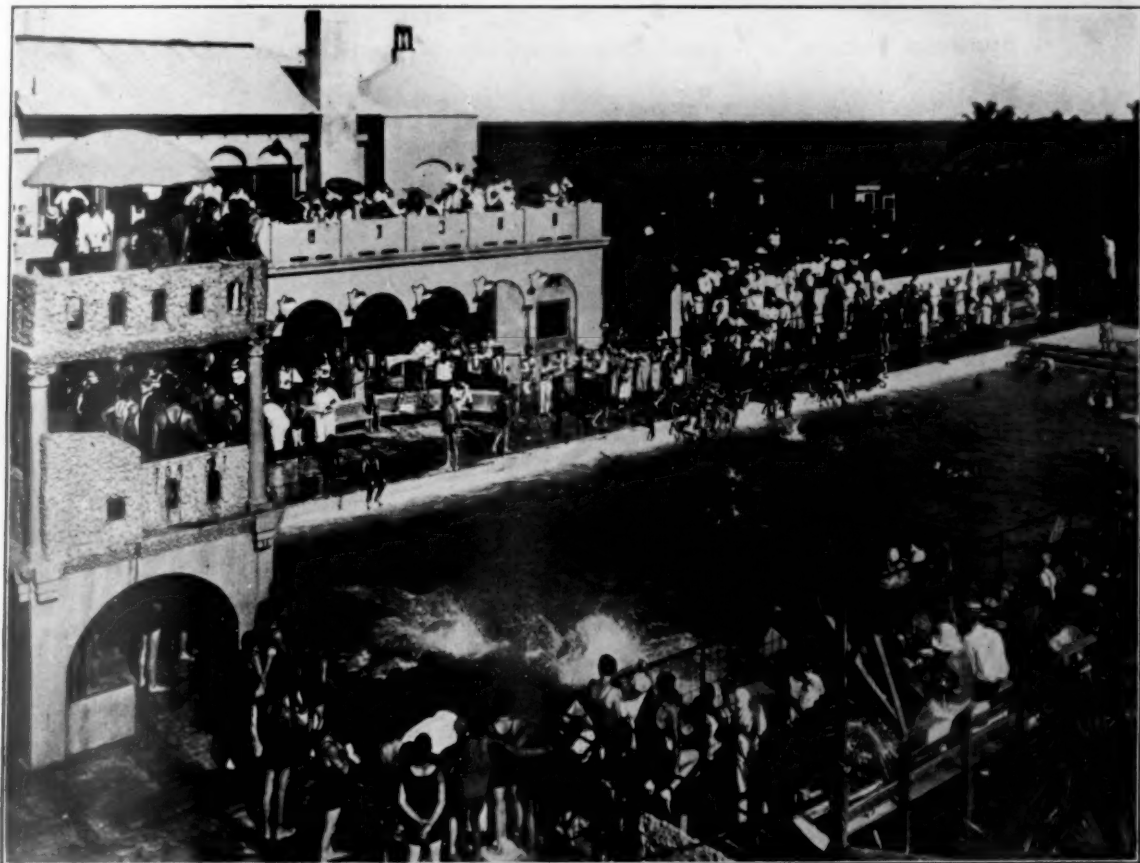
The organization of leagues in connection with community recreation activities is reported as follows: (the figures in italics indicate the number of cities reporting in each case.)

	<i>Leagues</i>	<i>Teams</i>	<i>Players</i>	<i>Spectators Per Season</i>
Baseball .....	2,060 (536)	14,676 (520)	219,299 (442)	15,085,142 (299)
Volley Ball .....	1,115 (350)	6,179 (332)	75,925 (267)	433,684 (127)
Playground Ball .....	2,054 (357)	16,129 (339)	249,214 (305)	3,830,293 (157)
Football .....	338 (154)	1,514 (141)	61,491 (144)	2,132,054 (86)
Soccer .....	390 (132)	3,493 (124)	54,237 (119)	1,391,657 (59)
Horseshoes .....	583 (287)	4,901 (212)	105,936 (233)	213,183 (105)
Bowling .....	194 (73)	1,602 (61)	12,893 (63)	145,669 (30)
Basketball .....	1,690 (345)	13,052 (432)	158,012 (290)	2,440,197 (170)
Total number of leagues .....	8,424	Total number of players .....	937,007	
Total number of teams .....	61,546	Total number of spectators .....	25,671,879	

### Special Recreation Activities

<i>Activities</i>	<i>Cities Reporting</i>	<i>Activities</i>	<i>Cities Reporting</i>
Badge Tests .....	181	Model Aircraft .....	138
Community Singing .....	260	Domestic Science .....	105
Bands .....	196	Gardening .....	68
Orchestras .....	136	Art Activities .....	226

<i>Activities</i>	<i>Cities Reporting</i>	<i>Activities</i>	<i>Cities Reporting</i>
Music Memory Contests .....	68	Handcraft .....	422
Toy Symphonies .....	60	Junior Police .....	108
Pageants .....	259	Self-Government .....	106
Dramatics .....	305	Athletics for Industrial Groups.....	277
Holiday Celebrations .....	311	Winter Sports .....	227
Motion Pictures .....	167	Hiking Clubs .....	189
Citizenship Activities .....	164	Honor Point Systems .....	107
First Aid Classes .....	204	Water Sports .....	328



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HORSESHOE PITCHING AT A RURAL RECREATION CAMP, ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA



RURAL LEADERS LEARNING HOW TO PLAY, ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA



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**and**

**TABLES**

**of**

**PLAYGROUND AND COMMUNITY**  
**RECREATION STATISTICS**

**for**

**1927**

## MANAGING AUTHORITIES AND OFFICIALS

STATE AND CITY	NAME OF ORGANIZATION	PRESIDENT OR CHAIRMAN	SECRETARY	RECREATION SUPERINTENDENT OR SUPERVISOR
<b>ALABAMA</b>				
Birmingham	Park and Recreation Board	J. A. Dupuy	F. G. Swaim	G. S. DeSole Neal
Mobile	Recreation Department	William H. Albrecht	Miss Elizabeth Fonde	H. G. Rogers
Montgomery	Park and Recreation Department	W. A. Gunter, Jr.	J. M. Dickinson	R. L. Todd
<b>ARIZONA</b>				
Douglas	Recreation Board	M. E. Jacks		Marylyn Norton
Morenci	Public Schools			Olive G. Hopkins
Phoenix	Park Board	C. A. Woodworth	Mrs. H. B. St. Claire	R. M. Hess
<b>ARKANSAS</b>				
Camden	Parent Teacher Association	Mrs. H. C. Stewart	Mrs. P. Quillian	Mrs. H. C. Stewart
El Dorado	Playground and Recreation Association	John E. Shatford	William Lynne Goodwin	Charles E. Osborne
Little Rock	Playground Association	Mrs. A. W. Kinsolving	Mrs. J. W. Thompson	Jess Matthews
Rogers	Playground Association		H. J. G. Koobs, M.D.	
Stuttgart	Harmon Foundation Committee	Mrs. Earl Rhodes	L. D. Griffin	L. D. Griffin
Texarkana	Young Women's Christian Association	Mrs. E. A. Hawley	Arabella Odell	
<b>CALIFORNIA</b>				
Alameda	Department of Parks and Recreation		E. J. Probst	Sarah H. Bolinger
Alhambra	Playground Commission	F. L. Daugherty	Mrs. M. E. Carroll	Paul S. Braden
Anaheim	City of Anaheim			Warren L. Ashleigh
Berkeley	Recreation Department and Board of Education	James T. Preston	Mrs. Fowler Mallett	Granville E. Thomas
Burbank	Playground and Recreation Commission	Mrs. Virginia A. Dorr	Mrs. Lola B. Steiner	
Colton	Park Board	S. E. Andrews, Mayor		
Fresno	Playground and Recreation Department	A. E. Sunderland, Mayor	Flossie M. Chapin	Raymond L. Quigley
Fullerton	Playground Commission	Albert Sitton	Ray B. Leach	Arthur Johnson
Glendale	Recreation Department	Rev. C. A. Cole	O. J. Renfrew	John W. Norviel
Long Beach	City Schools	H. B. Clifton	Walter Barber	Charles H. Hunt
"	Public Recreation Department	D. D. Skinner	Florence L. Van Gundy	Charles H. Hunt
Los Angeles	Board of Park Commissioners	Van M. Griffith	J. J. Hassett	C. L. Glenn
"	School District	John B. Beman	William Sheldon	George Hjelte
"	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation	P. H. Halbriter	Charles S. Lamb	
McCloud	Tom McCann Hoo Hoo Club	C. B. Daveney	L. E. Magonagle	Charles H. Wright
Merced	Rotary Club	Hugh K. Landram	Charles H. Wright	Lowell D. Hoxsey
Monrovia	Department of Recreation	C. A. Brunger	Lowell D. Hoxsey	R. W. Robertson
Oakland	Recreation Department	Dr. J. P. Maher	R. W. Robertson	F. J. Hokin
Oxnard	Community Service	W. D. Bannister	F. J. Hokin	Sarah McBride
Palo Alto	Chamber of Commerce	M. H. Hare	Ray W. Smith	G. L. Skutt
Pasadena	Park Department			Cecil F. Martin
"	Playground and Community Service	A. L. Hamilton	Mrs. Henry Case	
Richmond	Playground and Recreation Commission and School Recreation Department			W. L. Seawright
Riverside	Board of Park Commission	John A. Miller	Mrs. S. S. Ripley	F. B. Beal
Sacramento	Recreation Department	Mrs. J. H. Holland	G. Albert Mills	George Sim
San Diego	Community Service	Alice Lee	Tam Deering	Tam Deering
"	Play and Recreation Department	I. P. Pendleton	Mrs. W. A. Price	B. C. Nichols
"	Park Department	William T. Johnson	George W. Marston	John G. Morley
San Francisco	Playground Commission	Hon. James D. Phelan	Veda Beresford Young	Josephine Dows Randall
"	Board of Park Commissioners	Herbert Fleishacker	B. P. Lamb	
"	Community Service Recreation League	S. Waldo Coleman	Lois M. Williams	Lois M. Williams
Santa Ana	Board of Education	J. A. Cranston		L. W. Archer
Santa Clara	Board of Education	C. W. Townsend		{ Mr. Biorlie
				{ Mr. Brown

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Santa Monica.....	Board of Education.....	George Hart.....	Theodore Schoenwetter.....	R. E. Munsey.....
".....	Community Service.....	Mrs. D. G. Stephens.....	Mrs. E. C. Chandler.....	John Morton.....
".....	City of Santa Monica.....	Herman Michael, Mayor.....	Frank Helton.....	F. A. Helton.....
Santa Rosa.....	Municipal Sports Committee.....	F. A. Helton.....	Mrs. Charles M. Kellogg.....	B. E. Swenson.....
Stockton.....	Playground Association.....			
Stockton.....	Recreation Department.....			
COLORADO				
Alamosa.....	Playground Committee.....	Charles H. Woodward.....	Harry Tacheis.....	Bertha Bodhaine.....
Colorado Springs.....	Park Department.....	T. C. Kirkwood.....	W. W. Postlethwaite.....	Celia Gormely.....
Denver.....	Municipal Recreation Department.....	C. D. Vail.....	A. L. Threlkeld.....	Anna L. Johnson.....
Grand Junction.....	Community Service Department.....			Mrs. V. L. Barnett.....
CONNECTICUT				
Ansonia.....	Playground and Recreation Commission.....	William H. Kingston.....	Mae A. Gaffney.....	David B. Kilgore.....
Branford.....	Community Council, Inc.....	Frank J. Kinney.....	Warren E. Mumford.....	R. A. Leckie.....
Bridgeport.....	Board of Recreation.....	William Horace Day.....	R. A. Leckie.....	George W. Anger.....
Derby.....	Playground Association.....	Terence S. Allis.....	Ada S. Shelton.....	R. S. Williams.....
Glastonbury.....	Williams Memorial Building Association.....	R. S. Williams.....	Mary C. Alexander.....	James H. Dillon.....
Hartford.....	Park Department.....	Archibald A. Welch.....	Emma Mann.....	George Baer.....
Meriden.....	Recreation Commission.....	Oscar L. Dossin.....	Harry French.....	P. M. Kidney.....
Middletown.....	Department of Parks and Playgrounds.....	D. J. McCarthy.....	Mrs. Harriet A. Hubbard.....	H. E. Chittenden.....
Naugatuck.....	School Department.....	Harry C. Jackson.....	Mary Campbell.....	Martin R. Anderson.....
New Britain.....	Municipal Recreation Commission.....	Levi T. Snow.....	Fred J. Dawless.....	E. L. Manning.....
New Haven.....	Recreation Commission.....	George R. Brunjes.....	Margaret Brendlinger.....	Robert C. Rice.....
New London.....	Department of Public Welfare.....	William T. Fitzgerald.....	James Pedace.....	H. H. Langer.....
Norwalk.....	Playground and Recreation Commission.....	Orrin L. Judd.....	F. B. Towle.....	Earl E. Brigham.....
Norwich.....	Recreation Commission.....	Harry O. Landgreu.....	George W. Anger.....	Ruth E. Gerard.....
Plainville.....	Broad St. School Playground Committee.....	B. H. Wetherby.....	John H. Hyde.....	Burton R. Pullon.....
Seymour.....	Playground Association.....	Edward F. Taylor.....	Charles Jennings.....	George W. Anger.....
Shelton.....	Playground Commission.....	Hon. John H. Perry.....	Dr. Elias Pratt.....	Lewis Lloyd.....
South Manchester.....	Recreation Centers.....	Dorothy Heroy.....	Joseph Bedell.....	Milton B. Hunt.....
Southport.....	Wakeman Memorial Association.....	John White.....	Thomas F. Moore.....	Sophie T. Fishback.....
Stamford.....	Board of Public Recreation.....	Joseph Bedell.....	Mrs. John D. Basset.....	R. Marguerite Wilson.....
Torrington.....	Recreation Commission.....	T. F. Carmody.....	Luther L. Chase.....	Clifford W. Massey.....
Wallingford.....	Playground and Recreation Association.....	Dr. M. H. Merriman.....		William D. Shea.....
Waterbury.....	Park Department.....	D. Fletcher Alvord.....		Ralph S. Pasho.....
Watertown.....	Civic Union.....			Helen M. McCrea.....
Winsted.....	Playground Association.....			
DELAWARE				
Wilmington.....	Community Service.....	Mrs. Coleman Dupont.....	Edward R. Mack.....	C. B. Root.....
".....	Board of Park Commissioners.....	Edgar R. Haynes.....		Jennie M. Weaver.....
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA				
Washington.....	Municipal Playground Department.....	Lieut. Col. U. S. Grant, 3rd.....	Bessie Ritter.....	Susie Root Rhodes.....
".....	Department Public Buildings and Public Parks.....	C. F. Carusi.....	H. O. Hime.....	Albert Clyde-Burton.....
".....	Board of Education.....			W. B. Patterson.....
".....	Community Center Department.....			Leon L. Perry.....
				Sibyl Baker.....

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<b>FLORIDA</b>				
Bradentown	Board of Recreation	S. H. Fifield	Dr. R. G. Manchester	Dr. R. G. Manchester
Coral Gables	Recreation Department	Don Peabody		Don Peabody
Daytona Beach	Department of Public Recreation	Rev. Harry G. Walker		Katherine E. Goddard
Fort Myers	Board of Public Recreation	M. Flossie Hill	John W. Reel	John W. Reel
Jacksonville	Playground and Recreation Board	Joseph E. Byrnes	Henry L. Covington, Jr.	W. J. Sandford, Jr.
Lakeland	Department of Public Recreation	J. F. Council, Mayor	D. B. Kibler, Commissioner	George H. Crandall
Lake Wales	City Council	George E. Wetmore		
Lake Worth	City Commission			M. O. Andre
Miami	Public Recreation Division	Roscoe Martin		Martha E. Bartholmew
Miami Beach	Department of Public Recreation	C. A. Renshaw		J. B. Lemon
Orlando	Department of Public Playgrounds and Recreation	Hon. James L. Giles	J. C. Murchison, Jr.	Thomas W. Lantz
Pensacola	Recreation Department	J. H. Bayliss	Lelia McGill	Clarice Runyan
St. Petersburg	Board of Recreation		P. V. Gahan	P. V. Gahan
Sarasota	Department of Public Recreation	Theron E. Butts		A. W. Ross
Sebring	Recreation Department	H. O. Sebring		Gideon Jaeger
Tampa	Board of Public Recreation	R. J. Ritter	Dr. Dan P. Galvin	W. L. Quinlan
Venice	Recreation Department	E. L. Worthington		Robert Boggess
West Palm Beach	Park Department	Walker D. Goodale		Beatrice Jordahn
Winter Haven	Department of Public Recreation	Harrison Ambrose	August Fischer	August Fischer
<b>GEORGIA</b>				
Atlanta	Recreation Division, Park Department	John A. White	Lillian Everitt	L. L. Wallis
Augusta	Community Service	John G. Wilson	Harry J. Miller	John G. Wilson
Columbus	Department of Parks and Recreation	Edwina Wood		Chauncey A. Hyatt
Macon	Playgrounds Association	W. T. Sharpe	Mrs. George Biggs	Mrs. George Biggs
Savannah	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation	Mrs. F. H. Oliver	F. R. Howard	H. S. Bounds
<b>ILLINOIS</b>				
Alton	Playground and Recreation Commission	Rev. O. W. Heggemeir	O. E. George	W. W. Wood
Aurora	Playground Department	W. B. Greene	Jean E. Mored	Jean E. Mored
Belleville	Public Schools	Alma E. Marek	Herman F. Munger	Emila H. Buchmann
Berwyn	Playground and Recreation Commission	Milton R. Livingston	F. M. Rice	W. F. Pfuderer, Jr.
Bloomington	Fell Avenue Community Playground Committee	F. Casten	Mrs. Oledo Postweiler	
Blue Island	Playground and Recreation Commission	C. R. Dunlap	A. Bater	E. E. Marshall
Cairo	Park Commission	O. G. Orendorff	F. A. Perkins	
Canton	Park District	Mrs. A. W. Squires		Miss L. Benson
Carpentersville	Village of Carpentersville	R. O. Brigham	Mrs. V. R. Monninger	Earl H. Chaney
Centralia	Board of Recreation	Richard W. Wolfs	Walter Wright	Theodore A. Gross
Chicago	Bureau Parks, Playground and Beaches	Edward J. Kelly	Milton E. Connelly	V. K. Brown
"	South Park Commissioners	Dr. John Dill Robertson		William J. H. Schultz
"	West Chicago Park Commission	J. Lewis Coath	Charles E. Gilbert	Herman J. Fischer
"	Bureau of Recreation, Board of Education	Hans P. Hansen	Stephen A. Payer	Ralph Morgan
"	Ridge Park District Commission	David H. Jackson	Carlos Ames	E. L. Wheeler
"	Lincoln Park Commission	Joseph F. Gubbins	Eden T. Brekke	
"	Northwest Park District	William J. Hill	A. M. Stuart	Eden T. Brekke
"	Old Portage Park District	Frank Ernst	John Lambie	Will J. Davis
"	West Pullman Park District	George I. McEldowney	Homer Abbott	W. G. Gaunt
Chicago Heights	Park Board	Jan M. Allen	E. T. Muffley	E. T. Muffley
Decatur	Pines Community Association	E. N. Howell	Louis Pitcher	Louis Pitcher
Dixon	Park Board	Stephen D. Sexton	Spencer Ellsworth	Emmett P. Griffin
East St. Louis	Park District			W. C. Bechtold
Evanston	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works	Horace D. Bent		



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Harvey .....	Department of Public Property.	Ray T. Spencer.	Frank Norton.	Thomas Cuddigan.
Jacksonville .....	Park Board.	H. Ambrose Perrin.	J. Brennan.	James Samples.
Joliet .....	Bureau of Recreation.	E. E. Baker.	P. H. Slocum.	P. H. Slocum.
Kewanee .....	Park District.		G. Robert Galloway.	A. L. Freed.
Lake Forest .....	Recreation Department.		Katherine Keegan.	R. H. Peters.
La Salle-Peru-Oglesby .....	Social Center.		Elmer P. Langreth.	Howard Fellows.
Maywood .....	Playground and Recreation Board.	John H. Hartman.	Judd Hartzell.	Bernard M. Joy.
Monmouth .....	Park District.	S. E. Robinson.	Robert Gullies.	Jonas Frederickson.
North Chicago .....	Recreational Association.	B. Loomis.	Dudley C. Meyers.	Josephine Blackstock.
Oak Park .....	Playground Board.	H. J. Stewart, M.D.	Fred A. Gerding.	Oscar J. Christmann.
Ottawa .....	Playground Commission.	Morey Roberts.	J. C. Phelps.	Lois Coddington.
Princeton .....	Playground Association.	Fred H. Dunbar.	Mrs. E. H. Barton.	Lee L. Lawrence.
River Forest .....	Playground and Recreation Board.	F. J. Winters.	Mrs. E. H. Barton.	M. H. Hodge.
Rock Island .....	Department of Health Education and Recreation.	Mrs. W. H. Marshall.	Mrs. Almeda Humphrey.	Dorothy Dean.
Rushville .....	Playground and Recreation Commission.	Mrs. Margaret Brines.	Charles R. Horrell.	Mrs. LaVerne Klingebill.
Silvis .....	Recreation Commission.	James Shannon.	W. C. Noel.	John E. MacWherter.
Springfield .....	Playground and Recreation Commission.	Homer D. McLaren.	Harry A. Hall.	William H. Grant.
Urbana .....	Park District.	I. C. Blair.	Mrs. Jay R. Brown.	E. L. Walkup.
Waukegan .....	Playground and Recreation Board.	T. J. Stahl.		Daniel M. Davis.
Wilmette .....	Playground and Recreation Board.	John Clark Baker.		
Winnetka .....	Community House.	J. W. F. Davies.		
INDIANA				
Anderson .....	Park Department.	Fred G. Webb.	James T. Crossett.	Fred G. Webb.
Bedford .....	Recreation Commission.	A. Russell Wallis.	Mrs. Anna Loudon.	Charles R. Ivey.
Bloomington .....	Playground and Recreation Committee.	George E. Schlafer.		George E. Schlafer.
Brazil .....	Recreation Committee.	Dr. J. E. Baker.		Mrs. Ethel Cook.
Columbus .....	School Board.	Carlos S. Folger.	Jamie Dowell.	George Kerr.
East Chicago .....	Department of Community Recreation.	Mrs. B. C. McInaid.	Edwin Carlson.	Wilkie Moody.
Evansville .....	Municipal Recreation Department of the Department of Public Works.			Cecil Austin.
Fort Wayne .....	Board of Park Commissioners.	Elmer Luhring.	Philip F. Grill.	G. G. Eppley.
Goshen .....	Recreation Commission.	D. N. Foster.	Cecilia Welch.	Carrie A. Snively.
Hammond .....	Community Service and Municipal Recreation Department.	E. J. Culp.	Clara Trautwein.	Charles W. Clark.
Indianapolis .....	Department of Recreation.	C. B. Tinkham.	Harry Broties.	R. Walter Jarvis.
Lafayette .....	Playground Association.	A. C. Sandberg.	Oakel F. Hall.	Mrs. Lawson Campbell.
LaPorte .....	Board of Education.	Willard Elliot.		Mabel Foot.
Logansport .....	Board of Works.	Fred Ahlgrin.	Mrs. Carstens.	John Holland.
Michigan City .....	Board of Education.	H. A. Moran.	Robert B. Bradbury.	R. R. Merrell.
Mishawaka .....	Playground Department.	Dr. Karl T. Brown.	Ernest L. Guyer.	F. M. Steele.
Muncie .....	Board of Park Commissioners.	John Robbins.	Will Hayes.	W. T. Reed.
New Castle .....	Planning Commission.	Earl Brooks.	Mrs. Paul Snyder.	
Noblesville .....	Park Board.	Randall Cunningham.	Ralph Keltner.	Carol Pierce.
Princeton .....	Board of Education.	Walter McConaha.	R. A. B. Crump.	Hazel M. Fish.
Richmond .....	School Board.	S. B. Pettigill.	Julia Cassidy.	E. H. Burnham.
South Bend .....	Board of Education and Park Board.	Booker T. Washington.	Mrs. Louis Zoercher.	R. A. B. Crump.
Tell City .....	Playground Committee.	Carl E. Bauermeister.	Margaret Holland.	Maud Lamar.
Terre Haute .....	Park Board.	Margaret Holland.	Mrs. Sarah Rineskopf.	Harry Milligan.
Vincennes .....	Park and Playground Commission.	Owen J. Neighbours.	Harry McGuire.	Ray C. Beless.
Wabash .....	Community Service.			W. C. Mills.

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Washington Whiting	City of Washington. Community Service.	J. W. McCarthy. Chester R. Schlatter.	Mrs. Roy R. Tilton.	John Sharp.
IOWA				
Ames	Independent School District.	F. H. Mann.	Frank B. Howell.	G. M. Campbell.
Cedar Rapids	Playground Commission.	Frank Filip.	Estella Swen.	Willard L. Hayes.
Clinton	Christian Church.	John Bryson.	Lewis R. Barrett.	Iman Rasmussen.
Davenport	Buildings and Grounds Committee of City Council.	Mrs. Fred Crowley.	George Roepisch.	Harry J. Schmidt.
Des Moines	Playground Commission.	H. C. Baumgartner.	K. D. Miller.	Lewis R. Barrett.
Dubuque	City Playground Commission.	Dr. R. L. Reid.	Frederick Smith.	Earl T. Cook.
Fort Dodge	Public Schools.	R. B. Newman.	Elizabeth Hawkins.	John M. Bice.
Keokuk	Playground Association.	J. V. Voss.	D. L. Leanord.	E. H. Purcell.
Oskaloosa	Board of Education.	R. N. Van Horne.	H. C. Robert.	Frank W. Markley.
Rockwell City	Municipal Park and Playground.	Victor A. Zellhoefer.	A. E. Gnagy.	C. R. Northup.
Sioux City	Playground Department of Board of Education.			Victor A. Read.
Waterloo	Playground and Recreation Commission.			
KANSAS				
Arkansas City	Board of Education.	L. E. Brenz.	Elmer Overhalt.	Ernst Uhrlaub.
Atchison	Department of Parks and Playgrounds.	Mrs. Ben F. Pigg.	Mrs. W. J. Fulliam.	A. C. Von Nieda.
Bonner Springs	Community Playground Committee.	Dr. Stilson.	C. L. Nixon.	Mrs. Gladys Frederick.
Coldwater	Lions Club.	Guy H. Jaggard.	Lillian Troup.	C. P. Neis.
Concordia	City Playground.	Wade Dixon.	Arthur S. McNay.	Pete Enders.
Galena	Business Men's Club.	Henry Muenzenmayer.	Charles H. Mauley.	Herbert Friend.
Independence	Park Board.	S. Daniels.	H. McLin.	C. J. Mills.
Junction City	Board of Education.	W. N. Van Slyck.	Fred Carpenter.	Lena E. Bowser.
Parsons	City Schools.	Chester Woodard.	H. L. Armstrong.	Fred Carpenter.
Salina	Mary B. Talbert Community Service, Inc.	L. W. Clapp.	Nan H. Henderson.	L. P. Dittmore.
Y. M. C. A.	Board of Education.			Alfred MacDonald.
Topeka	Board of Park Commissioners.			
Wichita				
KENTUCKY				
Ashland	Y. M. C. A.	Watt M. Prichard.	C. M. Nicholas.	C. M. Nicholas.
Covington	Board of Park Commissioners.	E. L. Lee.	Alex Howard.	Anne Campbell.
Lexington	Civic League.	Mrs. P. M. Justice.	Mrs. J. H. White.	Anna S. Pherigo.
Louisville	Board of Park Commissioners.	Harvey T. Huff.	Cora M. Miller.	Neal Arston.
Russell	Community Boys' Work Committee.	C. S. Patterson.	C. G. Kidwell.	Mrs. Hugh Herndon.
Wooten	Community Center.	Mary Rose McCord.		Ruth S. Allison.
LOUISIANA				
Alexandria	Park Department of City Commission.	J. F. Forsy.	J. H. Brewer.	R. W. Bringhurst.
Bastrop	City of Bastrop.	C. J. Goodwin, Mayor.	Mrs. Ora Ross.	C. J. Goodwin, Mayor.
Baton Rouge	City of Baton Rouge.	W. H. Bymum.	L. J. Ricard.	Mrs. J. L. Simon.
"	American Legion Community Club Nicholson Post No. 38.	J. L. Luce.	N. P. Arceneaux.	N. P. Arceneaux.
Hammond	Board of Education.	L. A. Sims.	F. V. Mouton.	Albert T. Boudreaux.
Lafayette	Chamber of Commerce.	W. N. Philmony.	Mrs. W. T. Thurman.	Lucile Godwin.
Monroe	Department of Parks and Streets.	Will Atkinson.	Mrs. J. H. Douglas.	L. di Benedetto.
New Orleans	Playground Community Service Commission.	Mrs. A. J. Stallings.	Calvin K. Stalnaker.	Calvin K. Stalnaker.
"	Sylvania E. Williams Community Service.	Dr. A. W. Bragger.	Joseph Bernard.	George E. Vinnege.
"	City Park Improvement Association.	C. F. Claiborne.	A. Teti.	Frank J. Beier.
"	Parish School Board.	Fred Zengle.	Miriam Henderson.	Grover C. Thames.
Shreveport	Department of Recreation.	L. E. Thomas, Mayor.		



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<b>MAINE</b>				
Augusta	Playground Commission	Mrs. George Macomber	Stephen Hegarty	Richard O. Burrill
Bangor	Committee on Recreation	Dr. Elmer E. Patten	Wilfred Henesey	Chester A. Kennedy
Derby	Derby Improvement Society	F. E. Baker	T. N. Hopper	Madeline Brackett
Fort Fairfield	Rotary Club	Herbert F. Kalloch	H. W. Coburn	Isabel Shaw
Millinocket	Playground Committee	Dr. C. W. Harrigan	Mrs. G. W. Mackay	Arline McPheters
Portland	Recreation Commission	Lester F. Wallace	Granville R. Lee	Granville R. Lee
Saco	Educational and Industrial Union	Mrs. Sadie A. Cleaves	Louise Tuxbury	
Waterville	City Park Commission	A. Fred Cyr	Mrs. J. L. Drummond	
Westbrook	Community Association	Joseph A. Warren	Paul F. Fraser	Paul F. Fraser
<b>MARYLAND</b>				
Baltimore	Playground Athletic League	Robert Garrett	L. K. Miller	William Burdick, M.D.
Frederick	Playground Commission	Lloyd C. Culler, Mayor	H. Noel Haller	A. L. McCardell, Jr.
<b>MASSACHUSETTS</b>				
Amesbury	Park Commission	Alfred Whelpley	William Gillespie	Katherine D. Manning
Andover	The Andover Guild	Charles C. Kimball	Mrs. Horace M. Poynter	Margaret Davis
Arlington	School Department	Alexander H. Rice	Chester A. Moody	Earl H. Thompson
Athol	Recreation Commission	A. Macmaster	Parker Kimball	C. H. Pease
Attleboro	Horton Field	H. M. Kendall	Martin Brennan	
"	Park Commission	S. M. Stone	Harry C. Wolfenden	Raymond Cooney
Belmont	Playground Committee	Dr. Mark Rogers	Lewis L. Harris	Alma Hillman
Beverly	Playground Department, Board of Public Works	James W. Blackmer	James W. Blackmer	James H. FitzGibbons
Boston	Park Department	William P. Long	Daniel J. Byrne	
"	Department of the Extended Use of Public Schools	Francis C. Gray	Ellen M. Cronin	James T. Mulroy
"	School Committee	Francis C. Gray	Ellen M. Cronin	Nathaniel J. Young
"	Community Service	Joseph Lee	Joseph Lee	Mrs. Eva W. White
Braintree	Park Commission	Lawrence A. Trainor	Albert F. Hollis	L. C. Holder
Brockton	Playground Commission	John F. Scully	Abbie O. Delano	Arthur C. Staff
Brookline	Playground Department	Dr. Harry C. Dupuy	Charles P. Cameron	Charles P. Cameron
Cambridge	Board of Park Commissioners	Carroll W. Doten	Rose E. Manning	Stephen H. Mahoney
Chelsea	Park Commission	Thomas F. Punch	A. J. Carolan	James H. Crowley
Clinton	Playground and Recreation Commission	Dr. Harry C. Dupuy	Iosiah Stickney	Austin J. O'Toole
Dalton	Community Recreation Association	William G. O'Connell	William F. Kennedy	B. L. Dillenbeck
Danvers	Park Commission	Lester Couch		Helen Fanning
Dedham	Community Association, Inc.	Charles H. J. Kimball	Michael Halloran	Mrs. Ada H. Pillsbury
Easthampton	Recreation Commission	Stiner W. Cobb	Henry L. Sanders	Arnold V. Cleary
Everett	Playground Commission	Fred A. Hutchings	John F. Dixon	Kenneth L. Sherman
Fairhaven	Park Board	Wells T. Lettency	Mabel Potter	Elizabeth Hession
Fall River	Recreation Commission	H. B. Dutton	Elizabeth L. Murphy	Delmar Borah
Falmouth	School Department	Patrick F. Sheehan	H. G. Haddon	Helen M. Leary
Fitchburg	Park and Playground Commission	Rawson C. Jenkins	Guy A. Hubbard	Paul Dillingham
Framingham	Park Commission	Thomas P. Sheldon	Arthur C. Winch	John P. Kilmartin
Gardner	Park and Playground Department	N. J. Bowditch	John J. Mullaney	Helen Quirk
Gloucester	Recreation Board	Arnold A. Bent	Frank Powers	Robert H. Littlefield
Grafton	Board of Education	Howard Corliss		H. Gordon Pilkington
Great Barrington	Recreation Commission	Robert L. Leonard	Sarah S. Dewey	Helen R. McCarty
Greenfield	Recreation and Playground Commission	George R. Bower	Nellie O. Bascom	George Hendricks
Hamilton-Wenham	Community Service	Harold L. Deane		Lawrence Stone
Haverhill	Playground Department	Houston A. Thomas	A. M. Estabrook	Albert S. Claridge

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Hingham	Playground Committee	Ira Hersey	Edmond Daly	Patrick H. Kelly
Holyoke	Parks and Recreation Commission	George H. Sinclair	Mina F. Robb	William V. Crawford
Lawrence	Department of Public Property	John A. Flanagan	William V. Crawford	William R. Higgins
Leominster	Community Service	Fred L. Butler	Carolyn E. Hannigan	Carolyn E. Hannigan
Lowell	Board of Park Commissioners	Clarence M. Weed	John W. Kernan	John W. Kernan
Lynn	Board of Park Commissioners	Alfred T. Comstock	A. Roy Rafuse	John Morrissey
Malden	Park Commissioners	F. J. Walsh	Dr. Eugene McCarthy	Russell Cunningham
Marblehead	Park Commission	W. H. Symonds	Frank R. Dolliver	Dr. William J. Jones
Marlboro	Community Service Playground	Ernest P. Carr	E. W. D. Merrill	Raymond S. Tobey
Medford	Park Commission	Wilton B. Fay	Edward P. Adams	George Rogers
Melrose	Board of Park Commission	Richard J. Lord	George Rogers	Mrs. J. F. Damon
Middleboro	Community Service	Chester Weston		A. H. Yeaton
Milford	Town of Milford	W. G. Rodd	Clyde Whittier	W. L. Caldwell
Milton	Park Department	J. B. Baxter	F. Abercrombie	James E. Coogan
Montague	Cunningham Park	O. Hoff	Frederic W. Kingman	Charles Welch
Natick	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation	George F. Ritter	Ernst Hermann	Ernst Hermann
Newton	School Committee	Albert P. Carter		Robert C. Gilchrist
North Attleboro	Playground Commission	Dr. Frederick J. Carley		Russell A. Wright
"	Parent Teacher Association	Mrs. J. Freeman		Josephine A. Cogan
"	Civic Association	H. G. Metters		Josephine A. Cogan
Norwood	Playground Committee	Mrs. H. B. K. Riener		Miss Temperly
"	Recreation Commission	J. S. Whitman		Henry A. King
Orange	Playground Commission	Henry A. King		John Carmody
Peabody	Park Commission	D. F. Farrell	J. M. Flynn	John Kerrigan
Pittsfield	Park and Recreation Board	Harry Geary		F. B. Mitchell
Plymouth	Park Commission	Y. Mattson		Mrs. Margaret Tyacke
Quincy	Woman's Club	Mrs. Helen R. Grimes		Oliver G. Pratt
Reading	Board of Park Commissioners	Christian Lantz		Francis J. Mahoney
Salem	Recreation Commission	Edward A. Brewer		Cecilia Powers
Somerville	Playground Committee	Hector M. LeClair		James S. Stevens
Southbridge	Department of Public Parks and Recreation	Nathan D. Bill		Daniel P. Hurlid
Springfield	Board of Park Commissioners	George M. Jeffs		William Donahue
Stoneham	Playground Commission	Rev. John Shay		Ralph Davol
Taunton	Davol Playground Commission	Ralph Davol		John L. Leary
"	Recreation Department	Howard B. Peterson		Francis A. Kelly
Waltham	Playground Commission	Rev. W. J. Duffy		George H. Finnegan
Watertown	School Committee	Joseph A. Love		Winifred Bailey
Webster	School Department	Isaac Sprague, Jr.		Hugh Robertson
Wellesley	School Board	R. B. Pillsbury		H. D. Sylvester
Westford	Playground Commission	George Tabor		Herbert Landry
West Springfield	Recreation Association	Francis W. Rea		Victor Berthaume
West Warren	Board of Park Commissioners	T. H. Duffy, Mayor		Mrs. Mary Pattern
Weymouth	Department of Playgrounds	George S. Barton		G. T. Davidson
Winchester	Park and Recreation Commission	Z. A. Sears		M. F. Doherty
Woburn	Community Recreation Association	George Genebach		Thomas E. Holland
Worcester	Recreation Association	George Genebach		Daniel Kick
"	Board of Education	W. G. Coburn		A. R. Flannery

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Albion	Community Recreation Association	Z. A. Sears	Mrs. S. M. Seekell	Daniel Kick
Battle Creek	Recreation Association	George Genebach	W. G. Coburn	A. R. Flannery
"	Board of Education			

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STATE AND CITY	NAME OF ORGANIZATION	PRESIDENT OR CHAIRMAN	SECRETARY	RECREATION SUPERINTENDENT OR SUPERVISOR
Bay City	City Commission	G. Z. Zusk	Leigh Lynch	G. Nevitt
Birmingham	Board of Education	R. J. Coryell	Walter M. Berry	A. L. Van Winkle
Casplan	Community Center	Walter M. Berry		Walter M. Berry
Detroit	Department of Recreation			C. E. Brewer
"	Department of Parks and Boulevards			Henry W. Busch
Ferndale	Board of Education	E. A. Down	George McKinley	Robert L. Peel
Flint	Park Board	George Keller	Charles J. French	E. C. Dayton
"	Community Music Association	Eldon E. Baker		William W. Norton
Grand Rapids	Bureau of Recreation, Division of Public Welfare			H. W. Lightner
Greenville	Public Playgrounds Committee	W. R. Booker	C. V. Coates	M. D. Whale
Hamtramck	Department of Recreation of Board of Education	Dr. S. L. Woznik	Stephen Majewski	C. J. Reid
Harbor Beach	Community Service	B. W. Jenks, Sr.	W. A. Trescott	A. L. Cook
Highland Park	Recreation Commission	C. Chester Mack	Mrs. W. R. Alvord	T. H. Fewlass
"	Board of Education	Dr. Leenhauts		E. E. Fell
"	City Playground Association	Dr. Leenhauts	J. R. McLean	Leon N. Moody
Jackson	Board of Education	E. O. Marsh	Z. P. Moser	O. B. Goodrich
Kalamazoo	Department of Recreation	E. H. Drake	Mrs. Sallie Graine	Z. P. Moser
"	Douglas Community House	Dr. Ernest Burnham		E. M. Barnes
"	Recreation Committee, Board of Park Commissioners	Elizah Poxson		H. Lee Bancroft
Lausling	Board of Education	E. H. Hoffman	J. W. Sexton	J. Speelman
Ludington	Public Schools		James A. Rye	Mitchell Read
Manistee	School Board	E. O. Barstow	Guy L. Shippis	B. Klager
Midland	Community Center	A. W. Stett	R. H. Sprague	Guy L. Shippis
Monroe	Board of Education	William Strett, Mayor		C. W. Crandall
Mt. Clemens	Department of Recreation			L. W. Fast
Pontiac	Recreation Division, Department of Public Welfare			Arthur E. Genter
River Rouge	Recreation Commission	E. W. Mills		Frank Weeber
Saginaw	Department of Recreation	A. W. Townsend, Mayor		C. F. Van Ducen
Sturgis	Board of Education	C. W. Coye	A. E. Gilhams	C. A. Light
Ypsilanti	Recreation Commission	W. P. Bowen		Earl N. Risky
MINNESOTA				
Bemidji	Board of Park Commissioners	A. R. Garlack	N. E. Given	George J. Baker
Chisholm	School Board	J. P. Vaughan	Begetta M. Loken	John MacDonald
Crookston	Park Board	E. Peterson		F. J. Lipovetz
Duluth	Recreation Department			F. H. Marvin
Ely	Community Center	L. T. White	Ray Hoefler	Ray Hoefler
Eveleth	School District	J. W. Stearns		A. W. Lewis
Hibbing	Recreation Department	Dr. B. S. Adams	L. Emery	B. G. Leighton
Little Falls	City Council		Andrew Johnson	Daniel Bastien
Mankato	Board of Education	Evan Hughes	E. F. Searing	Louis Todnem
Minneapolis	Recreation Department of Board of Park Commissioners	Washington Yale		K. B. Raymond
"	Board of Education	W. F. Webster		R. C. Tapp
Pipestone	Kiwanis Club	C. H. Maxon	T. A. Bailey	C. A. Davis
Rochester	Parent Teacher Association		Mrs. Herbert Frost	Paul F. Schmidt
St. Paul	Department Parks, Playgrounds and Public Buildings	Ernest W. Johnson	Dorothy Stewart	Ernest W. Johnson
Virginia	Independent School District	W. G. Balcom	J. P. Riddell	Charlotte R. Curran
Winona	Playgrounds Association	C. D. Tearse	C. D. Tearse	
MISSISSIPPI				
Clarksdale	Mothers Club	Mrs. M. L. Gates	Mrs. M. E. Page	Sarah Ethridge
Meridian	Public Schools	George B. Neville	H. M. Ivy	H. M. Ivy



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<b>MISSOURI</b>				
Hannibal	Playground and Recreation Association	Mrs. Mary B. Harrison	T. T. McKinney	Jean Richmond
Kansas City	Recreation Division of Welfare Department	W. E. Sullivan		George C. Tinker
Kansas City	Board of Education	James E. Nugent		George C. Tinker
Monett	Board of Education	Robert Farrow		C. E. Gardner
St. Charles	Park Board	W. T. Sparenberg	E. Ell	Henry Schemmer
St. Joseph	Board of Park Commissioners	John T. McDonald	Myrtle Maxwell	Virginia Innis
Sedalia	Liberty Park Playground Committee	F. F. Combes		T. M. Pemberton
<b>MONTANA</b>				
Bozeman	Department of Public Recreation	L. E. Hathaway		Mrs. Doane
Missoula	City of Missoula	R. W. Kemp, Mayor		
<b>NEBRASKA</b>				
Beatrice	Parent Teacher Association	Mrs. R. G. McCue	Mrs. Ralph Lenz	Mrs. R. G. McCue
Fremont	Playground and Recreation Association	H. M. Webb	J. F. Rohn	R. A. Johnston
Havelock	Board of Education	Dr. P. L. Evans	Fred Hall	Walter I. Black
Kearney	Park Commission	W. T. Sanders	R. E. Turner	W. T. Sanders
Lincoln	Recreation Board	Dr. J. Stanley Welch	Mrs. Fred R. Easterday	Earl Johnson
<b>NEVADA</b>				
Tonopah	Public Schools			R. I. Jacobson
<b>NEW HAMPSHIRE</b>				
Claremont	Playground Commission	R. G. Blanc	A. B. Kellogg	Walter Thomas
Concord	Department of Playgrounds	Dr. C. J. Washburn	Mrs. Louis P. Elkins	William E. Coughlin
Dover	Park and Playground Commission	C. E. T. Caswell	Fred A. Quimby	Margaret Marnock
"	Neighborhood House, Inc.	Mrs. Harold Brown	Elizabeth Welch	Edith G. Brewster
"	Lathrop Memorial Building Association	Rev. Leon Morse	T. Jewett Chesley	E. A. F. Anderson
East Jaffrey	Parent Teacher Association	Mrs. S. H. Austin	Louis Record	Harold F. Drew
Keene	City Playground Committee	R. T. Kingsbury	Ralph W. Newell	Charles E. Lord
Laconia	Playground and Park Commission	A. C. Wyatt	Mrs. Ruth Smith	
Lancaster	Colonel Towne Community Center	Fred C. Cleaveland	Florence Campbell	Maynard L. Carpenter
Lebanon	Carter Community Building Association	William S. Carter	Daisy L. Bronson	Carl F. Simon
Littleton	Community Center	H. L. Heald	Frank C. Livingston	Raymond A. Pendleton
Manchester	Parks, Commons and Playground Commission	Frank P. Carpenter	Dr. C. H. Babbitt	George E. Osgood
Nashua	Recreation Commission	Oscar M. Flather	Harry E. Philbroch	Laurence E. Thompson
Portsmouth	Board of Public Works	Charles A. Allen	William H. Baker	
Rochester	School Board	E. A. Carson		
<b>NEW JERSEY</b>				
Atlantic City	Department Parks and Public Property, Bureau of Recreation	Louis Kuehnle, Com'r.		Glenn C. Heller
Avalon	Fun Chase Playground Committee	Mrs. J. H. Gaskill	Frank Livingston	Bernice L. Begeman
Belleville	Recreation Commission	Henry J. Mason		Lulu Wells
Bernardsville	St. Bernard's Parish	T. A. Conover	Mrs. Florence E. Roberts	Charles C. Wright
Bloomfield	Community House	Hervey S. Vassar	P. Kennedy Reeves	Irma Cook
Bridgeton	Johnson B. Reeves Playground Association	William T. Barker	Mrs. Mary Smith	Mrs. William Parsons
Burlington	Playground Committee of Civic League	Dr. Marcus W. Newcomb	Margaret S. Haines	Phillips R. Brooks
"	Burlington County Tuberculosis League	C. W. Reesman	H. M. Restrict	Jesse C. Roberts
Camden	Department of Parks and Public Property	Charles Kloss, Jr.		
Collingswood	Board of Education	Mrs. W. S. Gee	Mrs. G. K. Warner	
Cranford	Playground Commission			



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East Orange.....	Board of Recreation Commissioners.....	Thomas A. Barrett.....	Lincoln E. Rowley.....	Frances H. Haire.....
Elizabeth.....	Recreation Commission.....	James L. O'Neil.....	Claude A. Allen.....	Claude A. Allen.....
Englewood.....	Board of Education.....	C. P. Kitchel.....	Alice S. Coe.....	H. R. Spencer.....
Essex County.....	Social Service Federation, Inc.....	Daniel E. Pomeroy.....	Anne F. Smith.....	Anne F. Smith.....
Gloucester.....	Essex County Park Commission.....	Robert S. Sinclair.....	David I. Kelly.....	David I. Kelly.....
Hackensack.....	Children's Welfare Association.....	James L. Hughes.....	Mrs. Kathryn L. Antrim.....	Ruth Wooley.....
Hackettstown.....	Playground Committee.....	John H. Sturge.....	F. A. Robbins.....	F. A. Robbins.....
Hoboken.....	Board of Education.....	Harry L. Schmulling.....	.....	Brantford Benton.....
Irrington.....	Department of Parks and Public Property.....	August L. Lacomber.....	.....	Julius Durschwitz.....
Jersey City.....	Department of Parks, Playgrounds and Public Property.....	Arthur Potterton.....	James A. Cavanagh.....	Philip Le Boutillier.....
Kearny.....	Board of Recreation Commission.....	Thomas Clark.....	Charles W. McWilliams.....	Frank Deiser.....
Millburn.....	Shade Tree Commission.....	Frank M. Schmidt.....	Mabel Goff.....	James P. Craig.....
Montclair.....	Department of Health Education.....	F. G. Pickell, Supt.....	F. P. Reagle.....	Mildred Scheeber.....
Moorestown.....	Recreation Commission.....	Edward E. Mechling.....	Mabel C. S. D'Olier.....	F. G. Armstrong.....
Morristown.....	Park and Playground Committee.....	T. F. Dunn.....	.....	Ben P. Rumpeltes.....
Mount Tabor.....	Neighborhood House Association.....	Mrs. Thomas W. Cauldwell.....	Mrs. Ernest Pignona.....	Florin Antonacci.....
New Brunswick.....	Playground Commission.....	William C. Cudlipp.....	John W. King.....	Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pierson.....
Newark.....	Department of Playgrounds.....	Jeremiah Donovan, Com'r.....	.....	Evelyn Carbin.....
Orange.....	Board of Education.....	Henry Young.....	R. D. Arque.....	William Beck.....
Passaic.....	Department of Parks and Public Property.....	George W. Perry.....	.....	Randall D. Warden.....
Paterson.....	City Recreation Department.....	John R. Johnson.....	Sadye R. Fidler.....	Carl F. Seibert.....
Perth Amboy.....	Board of Recreation.....	Edward Fairhurst.....	N. T. Olsen.....	Reeve B. Harris.....
Phillipsburg.....	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation.....	T. A. Garretson, Com'r.....	.....	L. R. Burnett, M. D.....
Plainfield.....	Department of Parks and Public Property.....	George L. Hartman.....	Joseph A. Gallagher.....	C. A. Emmons, Jr.....
Ridgefield Park.....	Public Recreation Commission.....	A. L. Seidler.....	Miss Garlan.....	George Corp.....
Ridgefield Park.....	Roosevelt Parent Teacher Association.....	.....	Albert J. Mory.....	Roy O. Schlenter.....
Ridgewood.....	Board of Commissioners.....	Dr. H. S. Willard.....	John R. Meeker.....	Mrs. Bennett.....
Rumson.....	Board of Education.....	Bertram H. Borden.....	.....	Ira W. Travell.....
Rutherford.....	Victory Memorial Park Foundation.....	H. H. Edwards.....	Mrs. Robert N. Vanneman.....	Rev. Arthur A. McKay.....
Salem.....	Playground Committee.....	.....	.....	John F. Keating.....
South Orange.....	City Playground Association.....	Mrs. Harry L. Finlaw.....	.....	Helen Baker.....
Spring Lake Beach.....	Recreation Commission.....	Carlton Greene.....	James A. Maudeville.....	Margaret Brown.....
Summit.....	Memorial Community House Trustees.....	Samuel Heilner.....	Mrs. Samuel Heilner.....	Joseph J. Farrell.....
Union County.....	Board of Recreation Commissioners.....	Mrs. James H. Gross.....	Harrison R. Webbe.....	Mrs. Mildred E. Simons.....
West New York.....	Park Commission.....	Henry S. Chatfield.....	W. Richmond Tracy.....	John A. Nolan.....
NEW MEXICO	Board of Recreation Commissioners.....	George Reeves.....	Francis J. Schnack.....	F. S. Mathewson.....
Albuquerque.....	Board of Education.....	John Milne.....	W. E. Little.....	Harlan Seninger.....
Chimayo.....	Playground Committee.....	C. C. Bassett.....	George D. Robinson.....	Zoe Ellsworth.....
Deming.....	Chamber of Commerce.....	F. M. Haynes.....	Joe Ledlie.....	F. E. Powell.....
Las Cruces.....	Rotary Club.....	.....	.....	.....
NEW YORK	Department of Public Works.....	W. M. Karns.....	.....	Frederick F. Futterer.....
Albany.....	Rotary Club.....	.....	.....	Jesse Bohn.....
Albion.....	Playground Department.....	.....	.....	Mrs. Frederick M. Hosmer.....
Auburn.....	Community House.....	.....	.....	Cora Winne.....
Ballston Spa.....	Recreation Commission.....	Mrs. S. S. Whalen.....	Harry Hayward.....	M. S. Murphy.....
Beacon.....	Department of Education.....	Eugene F. Barry.....	William Middleton.....	Effie F. Knowlton.....
Binghamton.....	Department of Education.....	Dr. D. J. Kelly.....	Ernst Norman.....	Joseph F. Suttner.....
Buffalo.....	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks.....	James P. Moore.....	James E. Storer.....	Carl H. Burkhardt.....
".....	Extension Department, Board of Education.....	Henry F. Jerge.....	.....	.....

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Cambridge	Playground Commission	H. S. Hoard	Elizabeth Swart	
Canastota	Recreation Commission	Mrs. R. H. Imhofe		B. W. Beach
Cohoes	Playground Commission	Charles Nortley	Mrs. L. Knoop	Harriett G. Valentine
Cold Spring Harbor	Board of Education—City Council	Mrs. Walter Jennings	James L. Newman	K. Hoepner
Dunkirk	Recreation Commission	George N. Schmitdel	Marjory Meigs	Marion Haviland
Eastchester	City Recreation Commission	David N. Heller, Mayor		Z. Nespor
Elmira	Park Board	David N. Heller, Mayor		Z. Nespor
"	Community Service	Mrs. S. L. Stix		Elizabeth C. Albro
Elmsford	Playground Commission	Alfred S. Clark		Ralph Homan
Glens Falls	Municipal Recreation Commission	Ernest Jones	Arthur E. Severn	Sherman Reed
Gloversville	Board of Education	R. H. Gulvin	W. A. Gracey	Charles T. Ellis
Geneva	Park Board	Mrs. H. E. Ferber		C. E. Schilling
Hastings-on-Hudson	Recreation Commission	Ernest Rhodes	Helen A. Mangan	Harold E. Klue
Herkimer	Public Schools	Mickel Degnan	Arthur Hoffman	John Fink
Hoosick Falls	City Playgrounds Commission	Mrs. Preston Paris	James Marshall	R. M. Cowan
Hudson Falls	Recreation Commission	Mrs. John F. Ranken	David S. Fisk	Elmer Heidorf
Huntington	Service League	George M. Carney	Helen M. Bauer	Helen M. Bauer
Iliion	Playground Association	Mrs. Bessie Button	H. M. Dexter	Leo Powers
Ithaca	Board of Education	E. Snell Hall	Gladys Thomas	E. E. Bredbenner
Jamestown	Board of Education	Leon F. Swears	F. P. Rogers	Harry T. Watson
Johnstown	Recreation Committee of Business Men's Association	Roy R. Brockett		Mrs. Vanderwerker
Kenmore	Village of Kenmore	E. W. Fennie		Doris Gardner
Lackawanna	Playground and Recreation Commission	H. Kirk Tennant	E. M. Perkins	Robert S. Donley
LeRoy	Parent Teacher Association	Miss Van Dyke	Morgan Garrison	Daniel A. Carroll
Margaretville	Department of Public Safety	G. Kenneth Baxter	G. Kenneth Baxter	Mr. McClure
Mechanicsville	Recreation Commission	Edmond Millen, Jr.	Mrs. D. W. Rich	G. Kenneth Baxter
Middletown	Playground Commission	A. J. Himman	Leon Warner	Fred C. Singer
Mohawk	Recreation Commission	Mrs. George Barrow		Donald L. Macken
Mount Vernon	Recreation Commission	J. R. Thompson	Walter Saunders	Douglas G. Miller
Newburgh	Recreation Committee, Board of Education	Alfred E. Barlow, Jr.		Edward A. Wilson
New Rochelle	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks—Manhattan	Walter R. Herrick		James V. Mulholland
New York City	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks—Bronx	J. P. Hennessy, Com'r	Henry Geiger	John J. McCormack
"	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks—Brooklyn	James I. Browne	James J. Sullivan	John J. Downing
"	Department of Parks, Queens	James Butler, Com'r	Joseph Mafern	Anthony V. Grande
"	Bureau of Extension Activities, Board of Education	Eugene C. Gibney, Director	Virginia A. Small	Eugene C. Gibney
"	Parks and Playgrounds Committee, Brooklyn	Frank Munson	Mrs. Elizabeth Van Vleck	Mrs. Elizabeth Van Vleck
"	Division of Physical Education and Playgrounds, Board of Education	N. Maddever	Fred J. Mitsch	
Niagara Falls	Playground Commission	Edward Davis		Harold W. Herkimer
Norwich	Board of Education	Harry L. Coburn	Francis Conesdine	Mrs. Nina B. Cooley
Olean	Board of Education	H. B. Saunders	Dr. George J. Dann	A. W. Buley
Oneida	Recreation Commission	Donald D. Frier	Sadie G. Frey	A. E. Risendorph
Ossining	Park Department	Albert E. Tompkins	Lewis H. Archer	Sadie G. Frey
Patchogue	Community Recreation Association	William Keller	Edgar Mapes	Mary Halpin
Peekskill	Depew Park Playground Committee	Charles E. Doyle	F. J. Bohlmann	Catherine Hickey
Plattsburgh	Board of Education	C. S. Johnson	S. E. Fitzpatrick	Mrs. R. L. Delaney
Portchester	Recreation Commission and Community Service	Halsey J. Munson	Mrs. Thomas J. Blain	Rosalind F. Rieman
Poughkeepsie	Board of Education	Albert Rust	Ward C. Moon	Sam J. Kalloch
Purchase	William A. Reed Memorial Community House	William A. Reed, Jr.	Ivana Wood Tyson	Vivian O. Wills
Rensselaer	Recreation Commission	Edgar C. Farrington	William J. Adams	William J. Adams

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Rhinecliff .....	Memorial Library.	Mrs. Helen Morton.	G. Morton Minot.	Harriet E. Woolley.
Rochester .....	Department of Parks, Bureau of Playgrounds and Recreation	Mrs. Edwina Danforth.	Eleanor M. Kimball.	Chester B. Leake.
" .....	Health Education Department, Board of Education.	Mrs. Edwina Danforth.		Herman S. Weet.
Rome .....	Board of Public Works.	Edmond P. Eaton.	Walter H. Dippel.	Charles T. Lanigan.
Sag Harbor .....	Park and Recreation Association.	Dennis G. Harrington.	Harris Crandall.	Harris Crandall.
Saratoga Springs .....	Board of Education.	Mrs. Clarence L. Smith.	Mrs. Herbert Outwater.	H. Harold Axworthy.
Scarsdale .....	Community Service of Woman's Club.	W. W. Mishler, Com'r.	William Eddy.	E. J. Groat.
Schenectady .....	Bureau of Parks.	A. W. Guest.		W. E. Johnson.
Silver Creek .....	Board of Education.	R. E. Porter.		H. Earl Hadley.
Solvay .....	School Board.	Frank M. Westcott, Com'r.		Mrs. Lucia L. Knowles.
Syracuse .....	Park Department.			Carolyn Greene.
Tarrytown .....	Women's Civic League Playground Committee.	Charles D. Aldrich.	Paul Lynch.	Paul Lynch.
Troy .....	Recreation Department.	Albert J. Conboy.	Heber E. Griffith.	M. Esthyr Fitzgerald.
Utica .....	Department of Recreation.			William I. Graf.
Watertown .....	Department of Public Works.	George R. Halpin, Mayor.	Chester Wood.	Frank Baron.
Watervliet .....	Playground and Recreation Committee.	Mrs. Eugene Meyer.	Ruth Taylor.	Mrs. Chester G. Marsh.
Westchester .....	County Recreation Commission.	Mrs. Henry P. Griffin.	Lyle C. Shaw.	F. B. McGovern.
White Plains .....	Board of Education.	Walter P. Spreckels.	E. Wetmore Kinsley.	James F. McCrudden.
Yonkers .....	Community Service Commission.			
NORTH CAROLINA				
Asheville .....	Recreation Commission.	John H. Cathey, Mayor.	Mrs. Curtis Bynum.	Kathrine Park.
Charlotte .....	Park and Recreation Commission.	Dr. John H. Tucker.	M. Carol Taliaterra.	Walter J. Cartier.
Concord .....	Physical Education Department, Board of Education.	F. C. Nibloch.	H. W. Blanks.	C. C. Nixon.
Durham .....	Recreation Commission.	Mrs. F. L. Walker, Jr.	R. W. Rigsby.	Clarence R. Wood.
Gastonia .....	City of Gastonia.			Virginia Heath.
Greensboro .....	Wayne County Community Service.	Lionel Weil.	Ruth Pate.	Robert C. Robinson.
Hickory .....	Park and Recreation Commission.	Paul Lindley.	J. D. Wilkins.	Herbert W. Park.
Kingston .....	Board of Education.	R. W. Carver.		K. W. Walling.
Lexington .....	Civic Club.	Mrs. James A. Powers.	Mrs. James A. Powers.	Mrs. James A. Powers.
Spindale .....	Recreation Commission.	J. R. McGregor.	J. H. Cowles.	Rebekah Carpenter.
Statesville .....	Spindale House Council.	B. L. Smith.	James E. Berry.	Amelia Stephenson.
Winston-Salem .....	Chamber of Commerce.	C. E. Keiger.	Bailey T. Groome.	L. S. Gilliam.
	Department of Physical Education and Recreation.	F. P. Davis.	R. H. Latham.	L. B. Hathaway.
NORTH DAKOTA				
Grand Forks .....	Park Commission.	John H. Vold.	M. D. Kannowski.	M. D. Kannowski.
Jamestown .....	Park Board.	C. A. Klaus.	James A. Murphy.	James A. Murphy.
Lisbon .....	Park Board.			John B. Adams.
Minot .....	City Park Board.	F. B. Lambert.	A. H. Kurth.	Bruce Lozier.
				C. A. Wilson.
OHIO				
Akron .....	Board of Education.	J. B. Hannan.	Irene Moses.	Milton Seitz.
Bellevue .....	Recreation Commission.	Dr. W. H. Carey.	Nellie Huston.	G. K. Berden.
Bluffton .....	Board of Education.	Noah Basinger.	A. D. Hall.	Wilbur A. Howe.
Bucyrus .....	Playground Commission.	Edwin S. Beal.	Edward D. Carrigan.	Dorothy Leizer.
Canton .....	Recreation Board.	Fred W. Witter.	A. L. Helling.	C. W. Schnake.
Cincinnati .....	Public Recreation Commission.	Walker S. Schmidt.		Will R. Reeves.
Cleveland .....	Department of Parks and Public Property.			Samuel Newman.
" .....	Division of Playgrounds and Community Centers, Board of Education			Floyd A. Rowe.



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Cleveland	Recreation Council.	Edgar Adams.	Isabel P. Kennedy	H. O. Berg.
"	Girls Council.	F. F. Prentiss.	O. C. Saum.	Isabel P. Kennedy.
Cleveland Heights.	Hiram House.			George P. Bauer.
Columbus	Division of Public Recreation.			Earle D. Campbell.
Dayton	Division of Public Recreation.			A. W. Raymond.
Delaware	Bureau of Recreation, Division of Public Welfare.	E. V. Stoecklein.		G. W. Moore.
East Liverpool.	Playground Association.	G. E. Gauthier.	Mrs. B. F. Freshwater.	Harry L. Dowler.
Fremont	City Playground Association.			H. Monasky.
Girard	Federation of Women.	Ellen A. Brady.	Mrs. C. C. Young.	Vorys Collier.
Lakewood	Recreation Board.	James Brown.	Dr. G. L. Moore.	
Lancaster	Department of Public Recreation of Board of Education.	Julius E. Warren.		George E. Bickford.
Lima	North-South-East and West Parent Teacher Associations.			F. B. Wallace.
Lorain	Recreation Board.	H. L. Breckenridge.		C. C. Sexton.
Mansfield	Public Schools.	Philip Smith.	Harry Mason.	George Daniel.
"	Playground Association.	Mrs. A. Middleton.	Z. Leo Hartman.	W. Paul Allen.
Marietta	Friendly House.	B. F. Strecker.	Mrs. Sidney Palmer.	S. W. Knarr.
Martin's Ferry	Y. M. C. A.	A. F. Selby.	M. W. Sheffield.	Gilbert Anderson.
Massillon	School Board.	S. G. Edgar.	Ida Hoyer.	Ella DeVault.
Middletown	Bureau of Recreation of the Civic Association.	C. E. Sibald.	Marie Heitzman.	H. R. Smith.
Newark	Board of Education.	J. M. Mitchell.		D. W. Jacot.
Niles	Recreation Board.	Paul Stillwagon.	L. Tenney Rees.	L. G. Millison.
Paulding	Woman's Federated Clubs.	Mrs. Eugene Hardesty.	James Fitzgerald.	U. A. Miller.
Piqua	Board of Education.	Frank P. Irwin.	Helen Hetherington.	Josephine Durey.
St. Marys.	Community Welfare Association.	Hobart Scott.	William Jaspersen.	Raymond S. Mote.
Salem	Memorial Building Association.	R. F. White.	Mrs. Hannah Maule.	J. M. Kelley.
Sandusky	Playground Committee Federation of Woman's Clubs.	Mrs. J. Bamberger.	Mrs. William Waldoek.	Paul Baird.
Springfield	Playground Association.	W. F. Neville.	Anne Marie Tennant.	Oliver K. Cornwell.
Steubenville	Recreation Board.	C. L. Williams.	J. A. Cartledge.	A. N. Smith.
Toledo	Community Recreation Department of Board of Education.	William Wright.	C. S. Meek.	T. G. Keller.
"	Division of Recreation, Playgrounds and Amusements.	S. P. Jermaine.		J. W. Brown.
Urbana	Community Club.	J. C. Neer.	John Baillie.	John Baillie.
Wellsville	Harmon Field Playground Association.	Charles Aughinbaugh.	Mrs. Charles Culp.	Mrs. Stella Selvey.
Wooster	Board of Education.	J. W. Hooke.	R. W. Miller.	A. C. Maurer.
Youngstown	Playground Association.	Wells Griswold.		J. H. Chase.
"	Park Department.			Lionel Evans.
"	Mill Creek Park Commissioners.	W. C. Stitt.	C. S. Robinson.	Hugh A. Imlay.
OKLAHOMA				
Cherokee	City Playground Committee	A. J. Titus.	Mrs. Marshall Henderson.	Mrs. Marshall Henderson.
Guthrie	School Board.	W. F. Power.	Floyd McVickers.	John H. Mason.
Tulsa	Park Department.	N. R. Graham.	O. A. Ziegler.	Roy U. Lane.
OREGON				
Ashland	Park Board.	Frank Jordan.	W. H. McNair.	Faye Carver.
Bend	Harmon Field Committee.	H. M. Powers.	G. W. Ager.	Beth Ager.
Grant's Pass	City Park Board.	E. H. Harbeck.		Mrs. Alice Myers.
Oregon City	School District.			Helen Harris.
Portland	Bureau of Parks, Playground Division.	C. B. Keyser.		Mrs. Dorothy McK. Fudge.
Salem	Playgrounds Committee.	C. P. Bishop.	Eric Butler.	Louis Anderson.
The Dalles	The Dalles Dip Committee.	Dr. Fred Thompson.	Don W. Yantis.	George Wernmark.



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STATE AND CITY	NAME OF ORGANIZATION	PRESIDENT OR CHAIRMAN	SECRETARY	RECREATION SUPERINTENDENT OR SUPERVISOR
<b>PENNSYLVANIA</b>				
Allentown	Recreation Commission	Percy B. Ruhe	Frank Van Gieson	Ralph V. Wetherhold
Altoona	Department of Parks and Public Properties	Samuel B. Taylor, Com'r		Elizabeth K. Eyre
Ambridge	Playground Association	James A. Boyle	Mrs. Laura Fosdick Saire	N. K. Teeters
Barnesboro	Public Playground Committee	Louis Luxenburg		Ellis Davis
Beaver Falls	School District	Floyd Atwell	James L. Wasson	Alice V. Eskey
Bethlehem	School District	Mrs. Harry W. Lewis	C. F. Frey	W. H. Weiss
Brackenridge	Playground Association	Mrs. Charles O. Wherry	Bertha Mae Weinell	
Bristol	Playgrounds Association	S. H. Hardy	Mary A. Wilkinson	Harry M. Bender
Carbondale	Community Service	Frank Kelly	Mary B. McAndrew	Mrs. Fay Selley
Carlisle	Playground Association	Mrs. W. L. Jackson	Frank Mantz	Lydia J. Newsome
Chester	Department of Park and Public Property	Walter H. Craig	Benjamin Newsome	Conrad S. Bock
Clearfield	Community Service Committee of Y. M. C. A.	W. H. Wilson	Frank Pennegar	Chester Ash
Coatesville	Department of Parks and Playgrounds	Jesse L. Kenworthy, Sr.	Michael J. Kehoe	Ian Forbes
Conshohocken	Community Center	W. B. Gheen	L. F. Wentz	M. B. Wenrich
Crafton	Public Schools	F. J. Huffman	A. N. Work	P. J. Morrissey
DuBois	City Planning Commission	James J. Mack	E. L. Solomon	F. O. Gibbons
Easton	Department of Playgrounds	A. F. Heck	J. J. Dunn	Thelma Adams
Edwardsville	Playground Association of Kingston Coal Company	E. L. Solomon	R. S. Schobell	Dr. D. G. Evans
Ellwood	Playground Commission	Mrs. Judd C. Turner	J. D. Tracy	J. D. Tracy
Erie	School District	Otto J. Hitchcock	John Tansko	Thomas McNeil
Exeter	Department of Parks and Public Property	W. D. Kinney	George P. Plank	Clifford Bream
Gettysburg	High School, Playground Association	James McNeil	B. S. Whitmore	B. S. Whitmore
Greencastle	School Board	A. B. Plank	A. W. Flash	A. W. Leeking
Greensburg	Jerome R. King Playground Association	G. Fred Ziegler	S. T. Dean	J. B. Stoerber
Greenville	Playground Association	Mrs. John M. Horne		Catherine E. Geary
Grove City	Playground Association	George Rowley	V. Grant Forrer	Clarence R. Beck
Hamburg	Women's Civic Club	Mrs. E. C. Myers	Peter B. Sheridan	Helen H. Paul
Harrisburg	Playground Association	H. A. Earley	Thomas F. Miller	R. F. Getty
Hazleton	Department of Parks and Public Property	John H. Hilderbrand	H. Garman	L. P. Jordan
Huntington	Recreation Commission	E. P. Barclay	Leo J. Buettner	Mrs. Mary Scarlett
Jeannette	Playground Association	George Shively	H. P. Smith, Jr.	G. D. Brandon
Johnstown	Recreation Commission	John E. Gable	Mrs. Oliver Stauffer	Laura Evans
Kenneth Square	Recreation Committee	Herman Schmaltz		
Lancaster	Playground and Playground Association	M. M. Harnish		
Lansdale	Playgrounds Association	L. L. Reading		
Lansdowne	School Board	James T. Stewart		
Lansford	Board of School Directors	John R. Davis		
Latrobe	Women's Civic Club	Mrs. I. B. Shallinberger		
Lebanon	Progressive Playground Association	Emanuel Frank		
"	Athletic Association Playground	Edward V. Helms		
"	South 6th Street Playground Association	Samuel Hymnicka		
Lehighton	Women's Civic Club	Mrs. H. L. Straub		
Lock Haven	Playground Association Civic Club	Mrs. William T. Betts		
McKeesport	Department of Parks and Playgrounds	Albert F. Johnson		
Marcus Hook	Century Club	Mrs. Agnes Thornton		
Marietta	Playground Association	Rev. Victor Steinberg		
Mauch Chunk and	Playground Committee of Interborough Woman's Club	Laura L. Ruddle		
East Mauch Chunk	Playgrounds Association	C. A. Johnson		
Meadville	Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Park	John Robertson		
Mechanicsburg	Playground Association	Carl L. Millward		
Milton				

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Monessen .....	Public Schools .....	J. W. Cadwallader .....	Dr. F. C. Duvall .....	C. R. McClelland .....
Monongahela .....	Recreation Board .....	Mrs. Carl Gibson .....	Mrs. William H. Suttman .....	James Curns .....
Mt. Carmel .....	Playground Committee of Kiwanis Club .....	H. B. Henderson .....	William E. Hettrick .....	Margaret Karboski .....
Nanticoke .....	School Board .....	Anthony Czyzyk .....	John Wadzinski .....	Phyllis Beal .....
New Castle .....	Recreation Board .....	W. V. Tyler .....	Susan E. Wallace .....	C. C. Glock .....
New Kensington .....	School District .....	S. R. Seybold .....	Elizabeth Morgan .....	August Wincherer .....
Norristown .....	Board of Education .....	Harry W. Atkins .....	Harold R. Kraty .....	Albert Glover .....
North Braddock .....	Playground Committee, B. P. O. Elks .....	Earl C. Wentz .....	Clarence E. Wilson .....	Carolyn Johnson .....
Oakmont .....	Playground Committee on Board of Education .....	S. R. McClellan .....	A. G. Wallace .....	Margaret Word .....
Oil City .....	The Woman's Club .....	Mrs. H. G. Morrow .....	Mrs. C. M. Denise .....	H. W. Papentus .....
Palmerton .....	Public Recreation Board .....	J. Wilkins .....	A. Newton .....	Mrs. Alice H. Flynn .....
Perkasie .....	Neighborhood House .....	L. M. Schwenk .....	W. K. Terry .....	Lloyd Hoge .....
Philadelphia .....	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Welfare .....	John F. Dugan .....		Emily L. Carmichael .....
" .....	Division of Physical and Health Education, Board of Public Education .....	Grover M. Mueller .....		John C. Kieffer .....
" .....	Playground Association .....	Otto T. Mallory .....	Margaret O. Renak .....	Charles H. English .....
Phoenixville .....	Smith Memorial Playgrounds .....	I. W. Wadsworth .....	Mrs. P. H. Valentine .....	Mrs. P. H. Valentine .....
Pittsburgh .....	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works .....		Joseph F. Jelly .....	H. K. Willett .....
North Side Pittsburgh .....	Playground and Vacation School Ass'n of Allegheny, Inc. .....	Mrs. John Cowley .....	Mamie Stoner .....	W. C. Batchelor .....
Pottsville .....	Playground Association .....	G. T. Burd .....		Mrs. John Cowley .....
Reading .....	Department of Recreation .....	George M. Jones .....		John F. Murray .....
Renon .....	P. R. R. Y. M. C. A. .....	A. W. Byron .....	Georgianna A. Horock .....	E. A. Pritchard .....
Rochester .....	Board of Education .....	William H. Gordon .....	S. L. Williams .....	Eva Richardson .....
St. Marys .....	Junior Welfare Committee .....	Joseph E. Jackson .....	Frank H. Lawson .....	Wayne Hauck .....
Scranton .....	Municipal Bureau of Recreation .....	P. J. Dowdell .....	Walter Rigard .....	Henry J. Brock .....
Shamokin .....	Board of Education .....	Pierce H. Tasker .....	Helen M. Snyder .....	Ralph C. Carnes .....
Sharon .....	Shenango Valley Playground Association .....	Harry K. Becht .....	B. Frank Startzel .....	David Rees .....
Souderton .....	Playground Association .....	John Hunsberger .....	Mrs. W. H. Polangen .....	James L. DePiano .....
Spring Grove .....	Recreation Association .....	W. S. McClellan .....	Charles Ihlenfeld .....	Minerva Reber .....
Steelton .....	Parks and Playgrounds Commission .....	C. S. Davis .....	E. F. Troop .....	Fred Wigfield, Jr. .....
Sunbury .....	Playground Committee of Parent Teacher Association .....	Mrs. H. S. Keiser .....	H. R. Rupp .....	Mrs. H. S. Keiser .....
Swissvale .....	Child Conservation League .....	Mrs. Edward McGinnis .....	Pearl Kamell .....	Mrs. J. Roy Barefoot .....
Verona .....	Hyatt Cribbs, Jr., Athletic Field .....	John S. Wolfe .....	Mrs. Earle F. Smith .....	E. S. Miller .....
Washington .....	Recreation Board .....	Clarke Shrontz .....	Ralph H. Smith .....	Elizabeth C. Day .....
Waynesburg .....	Parent Teacher Association .....	Mrs. L. W. Sayers .....	Grant E. Hess .....	Dorothy I. Bell .....
Westchester .....	Recreation Department of Civic Association .....	W. O. Lamson .....	Clinton E. Moffett .....	Arthur H. Miller .....
Wilkes Barre and Wyoming Valley .....	Playground and Recreation Association .....	Colonel Ernest G. Smith .....	Mrs. Adele M. Merrifield .....	Robert Ballantyne .....
Wilkinsburg .....	Playground and Park Association .....	William M. Turner .....		George R. Fleming .....
Williamsport .....	Department of Parks and Public Property .....	R. W. Bishop .....	H. A. Rowe .....	H. S. Stevens .....
Wilmerding .....	Playground Committee .....	T. C. Swarts .....	Mrs. P. D. MacElfish .....	J. D. E. Dodge .....
Woodlawn .....	Recreation Council .....	John F. Rudisille .....	Raymond Newman .....	J. A. Griesing .....
York .....	Department of Recreation .....			Ruth Swezey .....
RHODE ISLAND				
Barrington .....	Maple Avenue Community House .....	Mrs. William H. Hoffman .....	Mrs. Clifford M. Wilson .....	Ella H. Pinkham .....
Bristol .....	Recreation Board .....	B. W. Wall .....	Mrs. Margaret B. Hoar .....	George J. O'Brien .....
Central Falls .....	Board of Recreation .....	Mrs. James W. Freeman .....	Ernest B. F. G. Piggett .....	Louis A. Piere .....
Newport .....	Board of Recreation Commissioners .....	A. R. C. Katzenmeier .....	Ruth E. Franklin .....	Arthur Leland .....
Providence .....	Board of Recreation .....	James E. Dunne, Mayor .....	Joseph J. McCaffrey .....	Joseph J. McCaffrey .....

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Westerly	School Committee	Dr. Robert G. Reed	William E. Williams	W. H. Bacon
Woonsocket	Park and Playground Department			Mildred A. Foulds
SOUTH CAROLINA				
Beaufort	Community Club	Dr. W. M. Steinmeyer	Mrs. H. L. Morrall	Lillian Rice
Charleston	Playground Department, Board of Parks and Playgrounds	Alfred H. Von Kolintz	Mrs. John C. Feidman	Corinne V. Jones
Columbia	Playground and Recreation Department	Dr. Charles C. Stanley	Joe C. Long	Adele J. Minahan
Florence	Park Commission	B. S. Meeks	Nora McAlister	
Greenville	Playground Commission	Mrs. M. P. Gridley	George Wrigley	
"	Phillis Wheatley Association	Mrs. J. M. Albergotti	Annie Hydrick	Nora McAlister
Orangeburg	Playground Commission	Mrs. S. N. Burts	Mrs. A. E. Woody	Mrs. Hattie Duckett
Spartanburg	Recreation Committee of Woman's Club			Mary Jo Wise
SOUTH DAKOTA				
Mitchell	Park Board	W. R. Ronald	M. F. Nobis	Mrs. S. N. Burts
Pierre	Board of Education	J. E. Hipple, Mayor		W. E. Webb
Yankton	School and Park Board			Robert Lumley
TENNESSEE				
Chattanooga	Department of Public Utilities—Parks—Playgrounds	Jim A. Cash, Com'r.	Fleming Kreigner	Clardel Pindell
Knoxville	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Welfare	Walter R. Bradley	Nathan L. Mallison	Nathan L. Mallison
Memphis	Recreation Department, Park Commission	F. N. Fisher	W. T. Walker	Minnie M. Wagner
Nashville	Board of Park Commissioners	Charles M. McCabe	John L. Lewis	Ewell M. Costello
Old Hickory	Recreation Department, DuPont Rayon Company			Marjorie Beard
TEXAS				
Austin	Playground and Recreation Committee of Lions Club	Horace Barnhart	Bob J. Lyles	Horace Barnhart
Beaumont	City of Beaumont	J. Austin Barnes	Raymond Edwards	Frank L. Bertschler
Corpus Christi	City Street and Park Department	W. J. Smith, Com'r.	John T. Wright	W. J. Smith
Dallas	Park and Recreation Department	B. E. Burt, Mayor	Miss E. B. Cauley	W. F. Jacoby
Eastland	Department of Parks	Perry Sayles	W. E. Dakin	R. D. Evans
Fort Worth	Public Recreation Board	Marvin D. Evans	Mrs. W. T. Fry	Nell Miller
Galveston	Playground Association	William Murphy	Mary Martin	Mrs. F. W. Hoecker
"	Educational and Recreational Community Association	A. G. Hubbard	Mrs. W. D. Wright	Corinne Fonde
Houston	Recreation and Community Service	V. R. Currie	S. I. Miller	J. M. Wilson
Marlin	Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture	J. B. French	George S. Buchanan	
Mission	Public Schools	S. L. Hardin	O. J. Sexton	
Plainview	Playground Association	W. J. Klinger	J. C. Hamilton	W. O. Bower
Port Arthur	City of Port Arthur	B. J. Wade		I. W. Hansard
San Antonio	Municipal Playgrounds Department	Jacob Rubiola	Mrs. F. G. Guitard	R. C. Oliver
Waco	Recreation Commission	Nat F. Tanenbaum		W. B. Ward
Wichita Falls	Recreational Department			
UTAH				
Salt Lake City	Recreation Department	Harry L. Finch		Charlotte Stewart
VERMONT				
Bellows Falls	Village Corporation	Egbert W. Robinson	Agnes Whipple	Gladys Hogan
Bennington	Welfare Association	Robert Shumway	Mrs. Martin Austin	Arthur Hageman
Brattleboro	Recreational Department	T. F. Conlon	George P. Burns	Claude N. Beasley
Burlington	Park Commission	Mrs. H. E. Folsom	S. W. Westin	George P. Burns
Lyndonville	Powers Park Association	C. I. Hunter	Mrs. Russell Howard	Mrs. C. E. Pratt
Proctor	Village Improvement Council	Bertha Estey	Mrs. Leon Drew	Mrs. C. V. Towsley
Putney	Community Center, Inc.	Bertha R. Salisbury		
Randolph	American Red Cross Playground Activity	S. Carl Carpenter		
Richford	Board of Education			



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Rutland	Playground Association.	Dr. Ray E. Smith.	Mrs. Samuel Frank.	Marion Bolster.
Springfield	Mead Community House.	Miles S. Sawyer.	Louise Page.	Marion Gary.
Woodstock	Recreation Commission.	W. M. White.	Clement Cook.	W. W. Watters.
	Improvement Society.	H. B. Chapman.		
VIRGINIA				
Alexandria	Playground Association.	Mrs. T. C. Howard.	Helen Cummings.	Ramone Eaton.
Clifton Forge	Board of Parks and Recreation.	R. V. Van Horn.	M. B. Lewis.	Mrs. B. C. Guentler.
Danville	Playground and Recreation Association.	Mrs. M. R. Perkinson.	Mrs. Lucretia Fuller.	
Hampton	Colored Community Center, Inc.	Rev. E. H. Hamilton.		Mrs. R. P. Munday.
Lynchburg	Municipal Department of Recreation and Playgrounds.	Dr. P. S. Schenck.	Katherine Cahill.	Katherine Cahill.
Norfolk	Public Playgrounds.	H. Calder.	Claire McCarthy.	Mrs. Lily T. Phillips.
Richmond	Municipal Recreation Department.	W. L. O'Flaherty.	Dwight E. McQuilkin.	Claire McCarthy.
Roanoke	Community Recreation Association.	Blair J. Fishburn.	Lawson F. Reichard.	Thomas W. Dixon.
Staunton	Playground and Recreation Association.	Thomas H. Russell.	John Brown.	
Winchester	Young Men's Christian Association.	Clifford Grim.		
WASHINGTON				
Aberdeen	Playfield Committee.	Mrs. George McFarland.	Mrs. George W. Gauntlett.	Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Rhodes.
Ellensburg	Municipal Park Board.	James R. Stirrat.	A. W. Crimp.	Ben Evans.
Seattle	Board of Park Commissioners.	W. J. C. Wakefield.	H. J. Gibbon.	Benjamin A. Clark.
Spokane	Board of Park Commissioners.			
Tacoma	Department of Playground and Recreation, Metropolitan Park District.	James A. Hays.	Fred W. Boaler.	Walter F. Hansen.
Walla-Walla	Park and Civic Arts Club.	Mrs. George Whitehouse.	Mrs. H. A. Gardner.	Mable Lecklider.
WEST VIRGINIA				
Beckley	American Legion Raleigh Co. Post No. 32.	E. S. Tisdale.		Eugene F. Yager.
Charleston	Playground and Recreation Committee.			J. W. Duncan.
Clarksburg	Playground Department.			Clay B. Hite.
Fairmont	Board of Education.	Mrs. Harry King.	Mrs. Sadie Smith.	Mary Louise Conn.
Martinsburg	Hoope Street Good Neighbors.	A. A. Hall.	Elizabeth G. Engle.	Mrs. Elizabeth Townsend.
Morgantown	Department of Recreation of Independent School District.	George P. Frey.	Mrs. W. F. Beatty.	Elizabeth G. Engle.
Parkersburg	Board of Recreation.	Mrs. Julia K. Schanwecker.	Mrs. Lillian Ellis.	Fanny J. Marvin.
St. Marys	Woman's Club.	Eugene M. Baer.	Nell Humphrey.	Virginia Barkwell.
Wheeling	Public Board of Recreation.			S. A. Heatherly.
WISCONSIN				
Appleton	Playground Commission.	W. Perrigo.		Joe Shields.
Beloit	Park Department.	A. T. Sands.		R. H. Petrosik.
Eau Claire	Recreation Committee.	P. J. Calvy.	C. J. Fay.	F. G. Keiser.
Fond du Lac	Board of Education.	Earle Murray.	William Kerr.	Douglas Smith.
Green Bay	Board of Park Commissioners.	Henry Traxler.		Kenneth Bick.
Janesville	City of Janesville.	L. W. Powell.	G. F. Loomis.	Marion Eiden.
Jefferson	Board of Education.	Mr. Lenning.	George Howe.	Chester H. Smith.
Kenosha	Department of Public Recreation.	E. B. Skinner.	Fred W. Erickson.	L. R. Finley.
LaCrosse	Board of Education.	H. S. Bonar.	Emma J. Kirwan.	Harry C. Thompson.
Madison	Department of Public Schools.	George A. Loesher.	L. J. Ellinger.	W. L. Johnson.
Manitowac	Board of Education.	Walter Alexander.	Frank Harbach.	Roy G. DuCharme.
Menasha	Park and Recreation Commission.	Mrs. C. B. Clark.		Dorothy C. Enderis.
Milwaukee	Extension Department, Public Schools.			George T. Christoph.
Neeah	Red Cross.			Frank F. Berg.
Oshkosh	Recreation Department, Board of Education.	Mrs. K. Ryckmann.	Mrs. E. G. Beardmore.	



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Port Washington.....	City Plan Commission.....	J. R. Grady.....	.....	S. R. DeMerit.....
Racine.....	Department of Recreation, Board of Park Commissioners.....	I. B. Farmer.....	.....	B. A. Solbran.....
Sheboygan.....	Board of Education.....	William F. Jensen.....	H. W. Kircher.....	Eli D. Antoniu.....
South Milwaukee.....	Board of Education.....	C. J. Bettinger.....	Herman Doehling.....	W. J. Glasbrenner.....
Sturgeon Bay.....	Playground Committee.....	G. D. Yoakum.....	Richard Biehl.....	G. D. Yoakum.....
Two Rivers.....	Board of Recreation.....	T. W. Suddard.....	.....	Arthur P. Eckley.....
Watertown.....	School Board.....	Samuel Dunwoody.....	E. A. Lockman.....	Margaret A. Stewart.....
Waukesha.....	Municipal Playground Committee.....	Leo Colburn.....	Myron Hill.....	Lawrence L. Bray.....
Wisconsin Rapids.....	American Legion.....	.....	.....	J. A. Torresani.....
WYOMING				
Thermopolis.....	Woman's Club.....	Mrs. N. T. Olson.....	Mrs. Robert Copsey.....	Ellen Pater.....
CANADA				
BRITISH COLUMBIA				
New Westminster.....	Parks Board.....	W. B. Johnson.....	Alex Courtney.....	.....
Vancouver.....	Board of Park Commissioners.....	W. C. Shelly.....	W. S. Rawlings.....	G. S. Maxwell.....
ALBERTA				
Calgary.....	Park Department.....	.....	.....	William R. Reader.....
MANITOBA				
Brandon.....	Kinsmen Club.....	Dr. S. W. Peters.....	G. R. Rowe.....	G. R. Rowe.....
NOVA SCOTIA				
Halifax.....	Playground Commission.....	F. E. Boyer.....	F. C. Kimber.....	W. E. Stirling.....
Sydney.....	Playgrounds Association.....	.....	.....	Clement Young.....
ONTARIO				
Hamilton.....	Playground Association.....	A. M. McKenzie.....	Charles Peebles.....	John J. Syne.....
Kitchener.....	School Board.....	Ivan A. Shantz.....	Edmond Pequegnat.....	Harold Ballantyne.....
London.....	Public Utilities Commission.....	E. V. Buchanan.....	O. Ellwood.....	Gerald N. Goodman.....
Ottawa.....	Playgrounds Committee.....	McGregor Easson.....	Vincent F. Courtemanche.....	Ernest F. Morgan.....
Toronto.....	Parks Department.....	C. E. Chambers, Com'r.....	S. H. Armstrong.....	S. H. Armstrong.....
Windsor.....	Board of Education.....	F. W. Begley.....	T. R. Noble.....	P. D. McCallum.....
QUEBEC				
Montreal.....	Department of Public Recreation.....	W. E. Findlay.....	Dr. A. S. Lamb.....	Dr. J. P. Gadbois.....
Quebec.....	Parks and Playgrounds Association.....	J. C. Sutherland.....	J. B. O'Regan.....	Sadie Lazarvoick.....
SASKATCHEWAN				
Moose Jaw.....	Recreation Committee.....	J. P. Keleher.....	Quincy Moffatt.....	J. Robinson.....

## PLAYGROUND AND COMMUNITY

Footnotes follow

STATE AND CITY	Population	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers			Volunteer Workers	Expenditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	No. of City	
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round		Land, Buildings, Permanent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incidentals	Salaries	Total				
ALABAMA														
Birmingham	261,000	Park and Recreation Board	64	50	11	4	192,959.81	33,904.62	25,869.69	252,734.12	M&P	G. S. DeSole Neal	1	
Mobile	68,000	Recreation Department	2	12	14	2		9,237.51	51,237.91	60,475.42	M	H. G. Rogers	2	
Montgomery	85,000	Park and Recreation Department	1	8	9			6,723.86	4,243.70	10,967.56	M	W. A. Gunter, Jr.	3	
ARIZONA														
Douglas	10,000	Recreation Board	1	2				175.00	600.00	775.00	M	Marylyn Norton	4	
Morenci	6,000	Public Schools	1	1	1							Olive G. Hopkins	5	
Phoenix	55,000	Park Board		3								Frank A. Jefferson	6	
Yuma	7,000	City of Yuma										Leo Turner	7	
ARKANSAS														
Camden	7,000	Parent Teacher Association		1								F. W. Whiteside	8	
El Dorado	31,000	Playground and Recreation Association	7	3	1	62	4,582.59	2,635.01	4,586.85	11,804.45	P	Charles E. Osborne	9	
Little Rock	90,000	Playground Association	6	8			1,000.00	549.00	2,751.00	4,300.00	P	Mrs. A. W. Kinsolving	10	
Rogers	5,000	Playground Association	1							850.00	P	Dr. H. J. G. Koobs	11	
Stuttgart	6,000	Harmon Foundation Committee	10			50						L. D. Griffin	12	
Texarkana	8,257	Y. W. C. A.		1		5			150.00	150.00	P	Arabella Odell	13	
CALIFORNIA														
Alameda	37,000	Department of Parks and Recreation	1	6	7							E. J. Probst	14	
Alhambra	30,000	Playground Commission	3	5						3,600.00	M	Mrs. M. E. Carroll	15	
Anaheim	12,000	City of Anaheim	1	2	1	10	41,000.00			55,650.00	M	J. W. Price	16	
Berkeley	82,000	City Recreation Department and Board of Education	28	10	32	8	23,635.00	5,502.00	30,439.00	59,576.00	M	Granville E. Thomas	17	
Burbank	20,000	Playground and Recreation Commission	2	1				50.00	750.00	800.00	M&P	Lola B. Steiner	18	
Colton	9,000	Park Board								8,446.39	M	Thomas J. Hartley	19	
Fresno	80,000	Playground Recreation Department	15	15	22	25	957.00	9,669.40	28,515.00	39,141.00	M	Raymond L. Quigley	20	
Fullerton	11,254	Playground Commission	1	2	1			400.00	700.00	1,100.00	M&P	Ray B. Leech	21	
Glendale	70,000	Recreation Department	25	24	4	1			25,155.00	40,345.00	M&P	Marion G. Sibley	22	
Long Beach	140,000	(Public Recreation Department City Schools)	1	3	4	62	63	5,820.00	40,437.00	184,500.00	M	D. D. Skinner	23	
			29	36		30	24			46,257.00	M	Charles H. Hunt	24	
Los Angeles	1,300,000	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation	49	39	64	250	250	648,250.17	228,880.37	194,625.33	1,071,755.87	M	George H. Jelte	25
		School District	89	149	98				8,250.00	91,750.00	100,000.00	M	C. L. Glenn	26
		Board of Park Commissioners									145,790.08	M	C. J. Hansett	27
McCloud	3,500	Tom McCann Hoo Hoo Club										C. J. Green	28	
Merced	7,000	Rotary Club		3	1					360.00		Charles H. Wright	29	
Monrovia	135,500	Department of Recreation	3	3	1	20	6	9,065.80	3,280.01	8,230.07	20,575.88	M&P	Lowell D. Hoxsey	30
Oakland	350,000	Recreation Department	66	73	20	12	36	15,605.00	71,780.00	142,023.00	229,408.00	M	R. W. Robertson	31
Orland	7,500	Community Service	3	1	1	200		1,000.00	500.00	6,000.00	7,500.00	M&P	F. J. Hokin	32
Palo Alto	12,300	Chamber of Commerce										M. J. Welliver	33	
Pasadena	90,000	(Playground and Community Service Park Department)	15	28	6	41	240	3,566.42	24,411.71	27,978.13	M	Cecil F. Martin	34	
Pomona	25,000	Department of Parks	20	5	8			358,122.47	50,382.22	135,681.00	544,185.69	M	G. L. Skutt	35
Redlands	16,000	Park Department	3		1							Harold C. George	36	
Richmond	28,000	Park and Playground Commission and School Recreation Department	6		6					3,100.00	M	W. T. Ferguson	37	
Riverside	32,000	Board of Park Commissioners	6	1	1					15,050.00	M	John A. Miller	38	
Sacramento	109,000	Recreation Department	1	1	2					17,739.00	M	Mrs. J. H. Holland	39	
San Bernardino	40,000	City Park Commission and Parent Teacher Association	1	1		1	2		2,100.00	500.00	2,600.00	M	George Sim	40
		(Play and Recreation Department)	8	8	16			7,000.00	23,804.67	37,695.00	68,499.67	M	Mrs. V. B. Sands	41
San Diego	150,000	Park Department									562.29	B. C. Nichols	42	
		Community Service	3	8	5	83	141	5,000.00	12,000.00	17,000.00	P	A. S. Hill	43	
		Playground Commission	38	49	83			112,987.02	132,736.55	164,595.29	410,318.86	M	Tam Deering	44
San Francisco	742,063	Board of Park Commissioners										Veda B. Young	45	
		Community Service Recreation League	13	35	48	11	14	4,336.16	17,180.00	21,516.16	M	B. P. Lamb	46	
Santa Ana	30,000	Board of Education	4	7								Lois M. Williams	47	
Santa Clara	6,500	Board of Education	1	1	2					2,010.00	2,275.50	L. W. Archer	48	
		(Board of Education and Community Service)	6	1	7	15	16	2,000.00	3,500.00	8,500.00	14,000.00	M&P	C. A. Bjorlie	49
Santa Monica	45,000	Municipal Sports Committee	13	4	1	45	45				171,232.06	M	R. E. Munsey	50
Santa Rosa	12,000	Playground Association	1	1								A. H. Helton	51	
Stockton	55,000	Recreation Department	25	14	7			18,019.56	14,432.12	22,801.92	53,253.60	M	Mrs. Charles M. Kellogg	52
COLORADO														
Alamosa	5,000	Playground Committee		1						400.00		Charles Woodard	54	
Colorado Springs	35,000	Park Department and Patty Jewett Memorial Field	11	12	11			5,586.16	5,402.05	18,236.94	29,225.15	M	B. E. Swenson	53
Denver	320,000	Municipal Recreation Department	18	36	4			10,000.00	100,000.00	8,450.00	118,450.00	M	Curtis Engle	55
Grand Junction	12,724	Community Service Department	2	10							9,524.00	M	Anna L. Johnson	56
CONNECTICUT														
Ansonia	22,000	Playground Recreation Commission	2	1				400.00	200.00	900.00	1,500.00	M&P	Bruce Brownson	57
Branford	7,100	Community Council, Inc.	1	1	1	4	3		1,581.14	2,336.50	3,917.64	P	Mae A. Gaffney	58
Bridgeport	151,000	Board of Recreation	33	25	5			9,200.00	25,124.00	34,324.00	M	David B. Kilgore	59	
												Robert A. Leckie	60	

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1	1	33		33	5,929			2		3	38,175		2	75,458					61	
2	12	7	8	18		7		1		1	20,216	1			6	4,800	3		51	
3	3	5		5	300			2	100	2	132,000				4	8,000	1		12	
4	4		1	1	150												1	50		
5	5		1	1	70					2	27,659				2	400	1	300	6	
6	6									1			1		4		2		6	
7	7																2		6	
8	8		1	1	114						1									
9	9	6		6	450	3	165			1	19,000				2	1,260	1	2,440	13	
10	10		3	3	576				1	50	7,000				5	5,000	1	180	3	
11	11	1		1												1				
12	12	1		1	20	1	75								2		1		3	
13	13		2	2	60					1	50				1	100				
14	14	4		4		1					2		1		6		4			
15	15		5	5						1					11	200	11			
16	16	1		1	25						29,391				4		2			
17	17	11		6	17	4	80	2	30	1	12,000		3	3,840	10	42,000	5	9,450		
18	18		2	7	9					1	11,600				4		2			
19	19									1	48,749				2					
20	20	12	3	15	1,897	5		5	3000				1		22		8	10		
21	21	1		1															3	
22	22	5	3	13		2		1		1	38,574				16		8	2		
23	23												1	25,000			1		21	
24	24	30		30	10,024	8	1,236			1	171,600				19		4	2		
25	25	31		31	14,301			12		7	245,815	5	10,000,000		5	52,932	40	2		
26	26	86		78	164	1	5,104			3					92		41	28		
27	27														18		2			
28	28									1	10,000			1	2,500			1		
29	29	1		1	20										2	1,100			6	
30	30		3	6	310					1	30,719				5	300	1	250		
31	31	46		16	62	12	600	3	100	5				1	43		7		8	
32	32	2		2	5,500	1									2		1			
33	33									1										
34	34	10		11	21	2	73			2	14,369				58		7	5		
35	35	6		6	600	2	100	1	100		126,000			1	15	116,800	4	1,000		
36	36	3		3						1	57,000				2	2,000	1			
37	37									1				1						
38	38		6	4	750	2	120			1	111,460				6		2	2		
39	39					1	250				33,000			1	12,000	5	6,000	1		
40	40	10		10		7				1				1						
41	41		1	1	90									1	3,000				2	
42	42	5		5		4									13		4	6		
43	43												1	50,000	6	18,000	1			
44	44	3		3	300	1	118		6	80					2		2	15		
45	45	28		28	5,365			15		2	37,608		1	600	38		28	6		
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48	48		7	7	445										8		2		8	
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52	52		2	2						1							2			
53	53	8	4	12	921					2			1		8		2	6		
54	54		1	1	80														1	
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56	56	100		100	7,100	36		5	3	6		2	100,000		92		45	30		
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58	58	3		3	250					3										
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											1	247,944	1	14,776						



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			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Permanent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incidentals	Salaries				
CONNECTICUT														
Cont.														
Derby.....	11,000	Playground Association.....	4	4	1	16	20		1,200.00	1,410.00	2,610.00	M&P	George W. Anger.....	1
Glastonbury.....	5,000	Williams Memorial Association.....	1		1				2,500.00	1,500.00	4,000.00	P	R. S. Williams.....	2
Hartford.....	162,000	Park Department.....	42	43	8						74,093.00	M	James Dillon.....	3
Meriden.....	38,000	Recreation Commission.....	8	7				1,550.00	1,000.00	2,250.00	4,800.00	M	Oscar L. Dossin.....	4
Middletown.....	25,000	Department of Parks and Playgrounds.....	4	7	1								Charles Dudley McCarthy.....	5
New Britain.....	80,000	School Department.....	2	2	1				171.05	1,350.00	1,521.05	M	Harold E. Chittenden.....	6
New Haven.....	185,000	Municipal Recreation Commission.....	9	10					5,188.68	2,569.80	7,758.48	M	Martin R. Anderson.....	7
New London.....	30,000	Recreation Commission.....	21	15	6	90			6,667.13	9,547.15	16,214.28	M	E. L. Manning.....	8
Norwalk.....	34,000	Department of Public Welfare.....	3	1	1								Robert C. Rice.....	9
Norwich.....	24,000	Playground and Recreation Commission.....	4	4					350.00	1,875.00	2,225.00	M	H. H. Langer.....	10
Plainville.....	4,500	Recreation Commission.....	8	9					1,700.00	3,300.00	5,000.00	M	Earle E. Brigham.....	11
Seymour.....	8,000	Broad Street School Playground Committee.....	1	1							500.00	P	Orrin L. Judd.....	12
Shelton.....	10,000	Playground Association.....	1	2		10			100.00	450.00	550.00	P	F. B. Towle.....	13
South Manchester.....	20,000	Playground Commission.....	2	2		12	16		300.00	600.00	900.00	M	George W. Anger.....	14
Southport.....	2,000	Recreation Centers Committee.....	9	11	15				14,000.00	16,000.00	30,000.00	M	Lewis Lloyd.....	15
Stamford.....	52,701	Wakeman Memorial Association.....	3	5	2				4,000.00	5,000.00	9,000.00	P	M. B. Hunt.....	16
Torrington.....	30,000	Board of Public Recreation.....	8	12	4	4		1,054.80	1,127.17	10,110.04	12,292.01	M	Sophie T. Fishback.....	17
Wallingford.....	14,000	Recreation Commission.....	5	6	2	18		300.00	1,418.80	3,831.20	5,600.00	M&P	R. Marguerite Wilson.....	18
Waterbury.....	110,000	Playground and Recreation Association.....	2	2				1,100.00	248.23	618.00	1,966.23	M&P	Joseph Bedell.....	19
Watertown.....	9,267	Park Department.....	12	22	4								William D. Shea.....	20
Winsted.....	10,000	Civic Union.....	3	2	3	20	25	500.00	6,891.88	6,590.00	13,881.88	P	Ralph S. Pasho.....	21
		Playground Association.....	3	2						350.00	740.95	M&P	Helen M. McCrea.....	22
DELAWARE														
Wilmington.....	125,000	Board of Park Commissioners.....	13	24	3			16,637.04	2,442.45	8,103.07	27,182.56	M&P	Edward R. Mack.....	23
		Community Service.....	7	12	3				7,600.00	12,275.00	19,875.00	P	C. B. Root.....	24
DIST. OF COLUMBIA														
Washington.....	540,000	Municipal Playground Department.....	74	145	36						168,965.00	M	Richard Tennyson and Maude N. Parker.....	25
		Community Center Department.....	21	57	13	4	9	800.00	6,018.53	53,189.34	60,007.87	M&P	Sibyl Baker.....	26
		Board of Education.....	45	198	2	2				30,000.00	30,000.00	M	W. B. Patterson and Leon L. Perry.....	27
		Department of Public Buildings and Public Parks.....									26,344.33	M	U. S. Grant, 3rd.....	28
FLORIDA														
Bradenton.....	12,500	Board of Recreation.....	2	2	4	42	18	3,500.00	3,028.00	25,590.00	32,118.00	M	Dr. R. G. Manchester.....	29
Coral Gables.....	8,000	Recreation Department.....	3	1	4			2,300,000.00	7,500.00	22,500.00	2,330,000.00	M	Don Peabody.....	30
Daytona Beach.....	25,000	Department of Public Recreation.....	4	6	8				22,389.32	15,965.22	38,354.54	M	Mrs. Helen D. Sage.....	31
DeLand.....	12,500	Chamber of Commerce.....									11,450.00	M	E. W. Brown.....	32
Fort Meyers.....	20,000	Board of Public Recreation.....	3	6	2	50	50	190,000.00	3,500.00	4,500.00	198,000.00	M	John W. Reel.....	33
Jacksonville.....	136,866	Playground and Recreation Board.....	11	13	4	37	74	19,659.18			82,521.31	M	W. J. Sanford, Jr.....	34
Lakeland.....	25,000	Department of Public Recreation.....	4	5	3	175	100	28,000.00	1,620.00	3,815.00	33,435.00	M	George H. Crandall.....	35
Lake Wales.....	5,000	City Council.....									14,000.00	M	Miss E. D. Quaintance.....	36
Lake Worth.....	15,000	City Commission.....											C. V. Faulkner.....	37
Miami.....	131,000	Public Recreation Division.....	1	5	6	2	3	7,904.55	3,395.00	48,900.00	60,199.55	M	A. W. Ziebold.....	38
Miami Beach.....	10,000	Department of Public Recreation.....	2	1	3	1	3	34,000.00	1,400.00	1,600.00	37,000.00	M	J. B. Lemon.....	39
Orlando.....	31,000	Department of Public Playgrounds and Recreation.....	55	4	4			7,800.00	3,695.00	18,530.00	30,025.00	M	Thomas W. Lantz.....	40
Pensacola.....	31,000	Recreation Department.....	3	1	2			15,001.64			41,713.44	M	Clarine Runyan.....	41
St. Petersburg.....	80,000	Board of Recreation.....	6	12	6					20,400.00	42,300.00	M	P. V. Gahan.....	42
Sarasota.....	15,000	Department of Public Recreation.....	2	1	3	88	13				8,884.19	M	A. W. Ross.....	43
Sebring.....	5,000	Recreation Department.....	1						2,000.00	5,000.00	7,000.00	M	Gideon Jaeger.....	44
Tampa.....	160,000	Board of Public Recreation.....	19	21	18	88	102	26,190.00	6,332.41	38,620.00	71,142.41	M	W. L. Quinlan.....	45
Venice.....	3,000	Recreation Department.....	3	1	4	3	4	4,500.00	3,500.00	6,000.00	14,000.00	P	Robert Bogges.....	46
West Palm Beach.....	50,000	Park Department.....	3	1	1			100,000.00			105,000.00	M	Beatrice Jordahn.....	47
Winter Haven.....	7,135	Department of Public Recreation.....	5	4	1	25	25		4,475.35	5,524.65	10,000.00	M	August Fischer.....	48
GEORGIA														
Atlanta.....	275,000	Recreation Division, Park Department.....	1	31	2			31,990.00	16,074.07	32,632.77	80,696.84	M	L. L. Wallis.....	49
Augusta.....	55,000	Community Service.....	1	3	4			2,000.00	1,550.00	3,750.00	7,300.00	M&P	John G. Wilson.....	50
Columbus.....	60,000	Department of Parks and Recreation.....	2	12	3	6	19		1,677.16	8,083.33	9,760.49	M	Chauncey A. Hyatt.....	51
Macon.....	77,000	Playground Association.....		10	9				2,100.00	5,900.00	8,000.00	M	Mrs. George Biggs.....	52
Savannah.....	99,000	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation.....	4	23	13			100.00	3,971.29	11,028.71	15,100.00	M	H. S. Bounds.....	53
ILLINOIS														
Alton.....	33,000	Playgrounds and Recreation Commission.....	14	15	3				5,891.89	7,333.97	13,225.86	M	H. Ray Myers.....	54
Aurora.....	48,500	Playground Department.....		19	1				5,094.93	7,405.07	12,500.00	M	Jean E. Mored.....	55
Belleville.....	27,000	Public Schools.....											Emil H. Buchmann.....	56
Belvidere.....	7,800	Y. M. C. A.....				1							John Harkless.....	57
Berwyn.....	50,000	Playground and Recreation Commission.....	4	4				894.58	2,017.98	3,227.25	6,139.81	M	W. F. Pfuderer, Jr.....	58
Bloomington.....	35,000	Fell Avenue Community Playground Committee.....	1	1							1,000.00	P	F. R. Sack.....	59
Blue Island.....	16,000	Playground and Recreation Commission.....	2	3	1			1,012.60	1,007.34	4,027.00	6,046.94	M	Mrs. O. Postweiler.....	60



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1	1			1						20,000							
2																	
3	6	14		20													
4					600					40,000	2	103,338	20	39,184	10	30	
5													2	800			
6					1,050	2	500			1,500				2	1,140	1	
7					205		40		1				2	600	1	1,682	
8					3,110				2					1	150	3	
9					5,854	7	628	1		69,820			14	9,411	5	21	
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Cairo	18,000	Park Commission									500.00	M	C. R. Dunlap	1
Canton	15,000	Park District				4						M	E. A. Perkins	2
Carpentersville	1,500	Village of Carpentersville					20	210.00	1,890.00	1,200.00	3,300.00	P	A. W. Squires	3
Centralia	18,000	Board of Recreation	2	3	1						3,000.00	M	Earl H. Chaney	4
		Bureau of Parks, Playgrounds and Beaches	33	20	53				168,000.00	422,000.00	590,000.00	M	Walter Wright	5
		South Park Commissioners	65	65	55						710,000.00	M	V. K. Brown	6
		West Chicago Park Commission	80	50	65			3,181,995.00	48,999.75	271,349.85	3,505,344.80	M	Wm. J. H. Schultz	7
Chicago	3,102,800	Bureau of Recreation, Board of Education	60	60	120			100,000.00	120,000.00	340,000.00	560,000.00	M	Herman Fisher	8
		Ridge Park District Commission	7			6			2,400.00	4,821.65	7,221.65	M	Robert G. Phelps	9
		Lincoln Park Commission	21	18	29			2,000,000.00	162,053.00	266,177.00	2,428,230.00	M	E. L. Wheeler	10
		Northwest Park District	2	14	12			7,760.00	100,000.00	80,000.00	187,760.00	M	Helen Andersen	11
		Old Portage Park District						21,000.00	2,000.00		22,000.00	M	John E. VanNatta	12
		West Pullman Park District	1		1			6,000.00	4,115.00	9,899.00	20,014.00	M	W. J. Davis	13
Chicago Heights	27,000	Park Board	1		1			53,269.17	1,934.23	6,056.26	61,939.66	M&P	E. J. Gaunt	14
Decatur	56,000	Pines Community Association	2	9	2		8		1,303.00	4,363.00	5,660.00	P	E. J. Muffley	15
Dixon	11,000	Park Board										M	Louis Pitcher	16
East St. Louis	66,787	Park District	8	7	4			500.00	4,000.00	6,750.00	11,200.00	M	Emmett P. Griffin	17
Evanston	62,000	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works	21	37	75	42	22				40,130.34	M	W. C. Bechtold	18
Harvey	19,000	Department of Public Property	10		14							M&P	Thomas J. Cuddigan	19
Jacksonville	15,000	Park Board	2	2				2,874.00	4,284.00	8,260.00	15,418.00	M	T. W. Beadle	20
Joliet	40,000	Bureau of Recreation	1		1							M	P. H. Slocum	21
Kewanee	20,033	Park District	4	4								M	G. Robert Galloway	22
Lake Forest	10,000	Recreation Department	3	3	1				14,000.00	16,000.00	30,000.00	M	R. H. Peters	23
La Salle, Peru and Oglesby	16,000	La Salle, Peru, Township High School Social Center	9	5	4	3	2		1,900.00	10,492.50	12,392.50	M	Howard Fellows	24
Maywood	25,000	Playground and Recreation Board	1	6	2	1	4		6,211.87	4,564.42	10,776.29	M	Bernard Joy	25
Moline	39,000	Park Board	3	11						1,500.00		M	Fred Brandt	26
Monmouth	10,500	Park District										M	Judd Hartzell	27
North Chicago	8,000	Recreational Association	1	1	2				1,000.00	3,000.00	4,000.00	M	F. E. De Yoe	28
Oak Park	58,000	Playground Board	6	6	5	1		14,423.72	9,887.37	11,458.85	35,769.94	M	Josephine Blackstock	29
Ottawa	12,000	Playground Commission	7					3,500.00	350.00	1,000.00	4,850.00	M	Fred A. Gerding	30
Peoria	87,000	Recreation Commission, Pleasure Driveway and Park District	10	19	1				727.27	9,893.10	10,620.37	M	Walter B. Martin	31
Pinekeyville	2,649	School Board										M	W. R. Malin	32
Princeton	4,500	Playground Association	2	2						360.00		M&P	Fred H. Dunbar	33
River Forest	7,500	Playground and Recreation Board	2	2	1			325.00		2,950.00	3,275.00	M	Lee L. Lawrence	34
Rockford	100,000	Department of Health, Education and Recreation	14	6								M	Leo M. Lyons	35
Rock Island	42,000	Playground and Recreation Commission	4	4	1	4	5	250.00	1,020.00	4,500.00	5,770.00	M	M. H. Hodge	36
Rushville	3,000	Playground Committee, Scripps Park	3	1	2				5,500.00	4,500.00	10,000.00	M&P	Dorothy Dean	37
Silvis	2,540	Recreation Commission		1				423.76	308.31	270.00	1,002.07	M	Myrtle M. Schmidt	38
Springfield	63,952	Playground and Recreation Commission	20	21	5			600.00	6,723.90	18,490.78	25,814.68	M	John E. MacWherter	39
Urbana	15,000	Park District	1	1								M	W. C. Noel	40
Waukegan	30,000	Playground and Recreation Board	3	6								M	E. L. Walkup	41
Wilmette	12,500	Playground and Recreation Board	7	4	3			239.68	2,989.92	6,426.89	9,656.49	M	Daniel M. Davis	42
Winnetka	11,000	Community House	6	13	6	50	50	1,243.61	6,588.39	16,955.00	24,787.00	P	J. W. F. Davies and Mrs. E. W. Wortley	43
INDIANA														
Anderson	40,000	Park Department	8	5								M	A. R. Stagg	44
Bedford	15,000	Recreation Commission	3	4							2,400.00	M	James J. Crossett	45
Bloomington	18,500	Playground and Recreation Committee	3	3		7	2		25.00	400.00	425.00	P	George E. Schlafer	46
Brasil	10,000	Recreation Commission	1	1								M	J. E. Baker	47
Columbus	10,000	School Board	4	4	1				624.17	4,380.00	5,004.17	M	Donald DuShane	48
East Chicago	60,000	Department of Community Recreation	9	19	2				4,000.00	9,000.00	13,000.00	M	Cecil Austin	49
Evansville	100,000	Municipal Recreation Department of Public Parks	39	33	4	104	160				22,500.00	M	G. G. Eppley	50
Fort Wayne	118,000	Board of Park Commission	6	13				300.00	5,542.78	5,205.00	11,047.78	M	Carrie A. Snively	51
Goshen	10,000	Recreation Commission	1	3				100.00	900.00	1,700.00	2,700.00	M	E. J. Culp	52
Hammond	75,000	Community Service and Municipal Recreation Department	5	3	1				6,000.00	7,049.00	13,049.00	M&P	Charles W. Clark	53
Indianapolis	375,000	Recreation Department	64	155	9			2,265.42	26,346.43	68,758.01	97,369.88	M	Jesse P. McClure	54
Lafayette	30,000	Playground Association	1	8					220.00		929.00	M&P	Mrs. Lawson Campbell	55
La Porte	18,000	Board of Education	2	7	1					1,250.00	1,250.00	M	Mabel Moor	56
Logansport	22,000	Board of Works	1	6				3,500.00		1,300.00	4,800.00	M	John Holland	57
Michigan City	25,000	Board of Education	2	3					100.00	1,000.00	1,100.00	M&P	R. R. Merrell	58
Mishawaka	23,000	Playground Department	3	5					700.00	1,300.00	2,000.00	M	F. M. Steele	59
Muncie	45,000	Board of Park Commissioners	8	12	1	2	19		2,535.00	4,380.00	6,915.00	M	W. T. Reed	60
New Castle	21,000	Planning Commission										M	Ernest L. Guyer	61
Noblesville	5,600	Park Board	2	1								M	Earl Brooks	62
Princeton	10,681	Board of Education							10.00	360.00	370.00	M	Mrs. Paul Snyder	63
Richmond	35,000	School Board	4	6					290.71	1,682.50	1,973.21	M	Hazel Fish	64
		Board of Education and Park Board	25	21	1						12,000.00	M	E. H. Burnham	65
South Bend	100,000	Booker T. Washington Community Service	1	1	2				2,000.00	2,400.00	4,400.00	P	R. A. B. Crump	66

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2		1		1	300				1					1				3	1	2											
3		1		1	40																										
4		4		4	160					2,545	1																				
5	28	1		29	11,600			17										40													
6		24		24					15	795,155	3	567,291	3	308,843				298		25		100									
7	13			13	14,941			13	6,646					2	161,741			152	374,093	13	757,176	18						224			
8	59	1		60	60,000	24	4,700											2											86		
9	1			1	75			1	200					3	7,500	1	3,000	1	3,000	1	3,000							8			
10	15			15				6					1					41		6		15						99			
11	8			8	2,400			7	5,000					24	90,000	7	325,000	4	48,000	5								55			
12														18	20,000	1	2,800												21		
13														2	4,500	1	5,000	1	4,500												
14	2			2																											
15		8		8	800	3	300	1				1	90,000	1	2,000	2	300	11	2,500			5	75,000								
16																															
17	3	5		8	4,100							1	50,000					14	21,000	2	2,500	8	1,000								
18	3	13		16	4,158	12		7	533	2	2,700	6	526,238					13	42,750	3		4		13				41			
19	8			8	2,000	1	700	1	700	1	27,000								4	1,100											
20	3			3	500					1	20,000			1	8,000	1	25,000	2	500												
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## PLAYGROUND AND COMMUNITY

Footnotes follow

STATE AND CITY	Population	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers			Volunteer Workers		Expenditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	Number of City
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Permanent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incidentals	Salaries	Total			
Tell City.....	5,000	Playground Committee.....		1					50.00	200.00	250.00	M&P	Mrs. Anna Schreiber.....	1
Terre Haute.....	80,000	Park Board.....											Harry Mulligan.....	2
Vincennes.....	18,000	Park and Playground Commission.....	1	5					1,118.00	1,882.00	3,000.00	M	Ray C. Beless.....	3
Wabash.....	9,980	Community Service.....	1		1	6	10	820.00	1,500.00	1,900.00	4,220.00	M&P	W. C. Mills.....	4
Warsaw.....	5,640	Boys' Club.....	1		1				200.00	500.00	700.00	P	L. N. Thorn.....	5
Washington.....	12,000	City of Washington.....											I. W. McCarthy.....	6
Whiting.....	14,500	Community Service.....	8	10	6	6	8		16,000.00	24,000.00	40,000.00	M&P	John Sharp.....	7
<b>IOWA</b>														
Ames.....	10,000	Independent School District.....	1	1						4,450.00	4,450.00	M	M. G. Davis.....	8
Cedar Rapids.....	56,000	Playground Commission.....	3	5	2	10	15		2,500.00	5,500.00	8,000.00	M	Willard L. Hayes.....	9
Clinton.....	24,151	Christian Church.....				1	1		40.00		40.00	P	Bearnice Anderson.....	10
Davenport.....	60,000	Building and Grounds Committee of City Council.....	5	13					2,800.00	5,200.00	8,000.00	M	Harry J. Schmidt.....	11
Des Moines.....	150,000	Playground Commission.....	20	40	1				2,500.00	16,000.00	18,500.00	M	Lewis R. Barrett.....	12
Dubuque.....	45,000	City Playground Commission.....	10	10					2,000.00	4,000.00	6,000.00	M	Earl G. Cook.....	13
Fort Dodge.....	25,000	Public Schools.....	8	20	1				250.00	3,250.00	3,500.00	M	John M. Bice.....	14
Keokuk.....	15,000	Playground Association.....	3	1		6							E. H. Purcell.....	15
Oskaloosa.....	11,000	Board of Education.....	1			6	16		50.00	250.00	300.00	M	Frank W. Markley.....	16
Rockwell City.....	2,350	Municipal Park and Recreation Department.....											Louis E. Ealick.....	17
Sioux City.....	80,000	Playground Department of Board of Education.....	38	40					1,021.61	3,164.88	4,186.49	M	C. R. Northup.....	18
Waterloo.....	40,000	Playground and Recreation Commission.....	3	6	2			570.00	1,722.00	6,008.00	8,300.00	M	Victor A. Reed.....	19
<b>KANSAS</b>														
Anthony.....	3,000	Board of Education.....											W. Rankin Young.....	20
Arkansas City.....	14,500	Board of Education.....											A. E. St. John.....	21
Atchison.....	16,500	Department of Park and Playground.....	2	2				3,180.27			9,836.68	M	A. W. Seng.....	22
Bonner Springs.....	3,000	Community Playground Committee.....		1					25.00	225.00	250.00	M&P	Mrs. B. F. Pigg.....	23
Coffeyville.....	20,000	School Board.....	4						375.00	775.00	1,150.00	M	A. I. Decker.....	24
Coldwater.....	1,200	Lions Club.....				3							D. S. Laurer.....	25
Concordia.....	5,800	City Playground Department.....	2	1		8	1		75.00	340.00	415.00	M	C. P. Neis.....	26
Galena.....	5,094	Business Men's Club.....	6	1	2						1,800.00		Arthur S. McNay.....	27
Hays.....	5,100	City Commissioners Board and Board of Education.....	1				1		600.00	450.00	1,050.00	M	R. S. Markwell.....	28
Independence.....	14,000	Park Board.....							300.00	1,200.00	1,500.00	M	C. H. Kerr.....	29
Junction City.....	7,000	Board of Education.....	2	1									H. E. Chandler.....	30
Kingman.....	2,600	Board of Education.....											V. L. Engelhardt.....	31
Parsons.....	16,000	City Schools.....											C. J. Mills.....	32
		Mary B. Talbert Community Service, Inc.....				4	4				939.00	P	Lera Bowser.....	33
Salina.....	19,000	Y. M. C. A.....	1		1	4							M. D. Straney.....	34
Topeka.....	75,000	Board of Education.....	19	25					746.00	8,664.75	9,410.75	M	L. P. Dittmore.....	35
Wichita.....	99,000	Board of Park Commissioners.....	7				2						Alfred MacDonald.....	36
<b>KENTUCKY</b>														
Ashland.....	30,000	Y. M. C. A.....	2					651.95		300.00	951.95	M&P	C. M. Nicholas.....	37
Covington.....	65,000	Board of Park Commissioners.....	3	8				1,500.00	18,190.00	810.00	20,500.00	M	Alex Howard.....	38
Lexington.....	58,000	Civic League.....	9	18	7				5,360.47	6,316.76	11,677.23	M&P	Anna S. Phiergo.....	39
Louisville.....	347,746	Board of Park Commissioners.....	30	30					2,513.61	13,465.16	15,978.77	M	Harvey T. Huff.....	40
Russell.....	3,000	Community Boys' Work Committee.....	1	1	1	25	20		253.00	535.00	788.00	P	W. W. Tenney.....	41
Wooten.....		Community Center.....		1	1								Ruth Allison.....	42
<b>LOUISIANA</b>														
Alexandria.....	25,000	Park Department.....											R. W. Bringham.....	43
Bastrop.....	7,000	City of Bastrop.....											C. J. Goodwin.....	44
		City of Baton Rouge.....	1		1								George W. Garig.....	45
Baton Rouge.....	40,000	American Legion Community Club, Nicholas Post. No. 38.....	2		1	1			2,400.00	2,000.00	4,400.00	P	N. P. Arceneaux.....	46
Hammond.....	7,000	Board of Education.....											L. A. Sims.....	47
Lafayette.....	11,000	Chamber of Commerce.....					1				6,600.00	M	F. V. Mouton.....	48
Monroe.....	25,000	Department of Parks and Streets.....					7	10,000.00	10,000.00		20,000.00	M	Will Atkinson.....	49
		Playground Community Service Commission.....	7	22	23				8,780.00	21,408.00	30,188.00	M&P	L. Di Benedetto.....	50
		City Park Improvement Association.....	13	4	15						25,000.00	M	Joseph Bernard.....	51
		Parish School Board.....	3	2	1				1,970.00	8,200.00	10,170.00	M	Frank J. Beier.....	52
		Sylvania E. Williams Community Service.....	1		1	5	2		858.27	2,300.00	3,158.27	P	Calvin J. Stainaker.....	53
Shreveport.....	84,000	Department of Recreation.....	10	12	4				1,765.00		13,000.00	M&P	Grover C. Thames.....	54
<b>MAINE</b>														
Augusta.....	16,000	Playground Commission.....	1	1		1	3				12,477.41	M&P	O. B. Frost.....	55
Bangor.....	26,664	Recreation Committee.....	2			5	5				3,500.00	M&P	Dr. Elmer E. Patten.....	56
Derby.....	300	Improvement Society.....		1		2	3		50.00	150.00	200.00	P	Mrs. O. L. Dean.....	57
Fort Fairfield.....	4,551	Rotary Club.....	2	2					896.11	340.00	1,236.11	P	H. W. Coburn.....	58
Millinocket.....	5,000	Playground Committee.....	2	2					480.00	720.00	1,200.00	M	Mrs. G. W. Mackey.....	59
Portland.....	75,000	Recreation Commission.....	1	20	1				6,702.43	7,096.50	13,798.93	M	Granville R. Lee.....	60
Saco.....	6,800	Educational and Industrial Union.....	2	2					120.00	180.00	300.00	P	Sadie A. Cleaves.....	61
Waterville.....	14,000	City Park Commission.....	3	3		6	6	3,000.00	450.00	1,800.00	5,250.00	M&P	Josephine L. Drummond.....	62
Westbrook.....	10,000	Community Association.....	2	2	1	3	2		3,893.13	3,500.00	7,393.13	P	Paul F. Fraser.....	63



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1	1	1	1	1	160	2	50					1		1				3				1				
2		5		5	1,196						41,400			1	29,000			10	450	1	1,000	5	1,800			
3																										
4																		4	100	1		1	100			1
5																										1
6																										1
7						1		1	5		50,000	1	36,104			1	160	10								
8		2		2	204											2		9		1		1				
9		5		5	400							1		1				13	5,000	4	6,000	2				
10		1		1	50																					
11		5		5	200																					
12	8	11		19	3,700	4	200							2				30		1		7				
13		10		10	2,000																					
14	10			10		4				3	15,000			4	7,000			4	5,000	2	5,000	6	300			
15	6	1		7	2,529	3		1				2		2				1		2		3				
16	5			5	400															4	150	4				
17										1	900							1		1		1				
18		17		17		13				3	9,000			2				20		3		4				
19		7		7	1,026	3	130					1		1	19,750			8				3			23	
20										1	3,000							3				1	432			
21										2				1				8		1						
22		5		5	210	1	180					1	10,338									1				
23		1		1														4		1		1	800			
24		2		2	350									1		1	86		1	800	3	800				
25						1														1						
26		1		1	95					1	1,080							2				2				
27	2			2						2		1				4		1				2				
28		1		1	100					1																
29																		18								
30		1		1	200					1	3,500							10	200	1	200	1	75			
31										2								8		2		5				
32														1		4		2								
33	1		1	2	40	2	35	1	2	20						1	9			4		2				
34	4			4	92																					
35		17		17	3,275					3								25		1		5				
36	4	8		12						1	77,350			1	70,000			12	52,200			5		4	75,000	
37		2		2	300																				4	
38		5		5	1,350					2								2		3		3				6
39	1	10		11		2		1	4		8,940							9		1		2				15
40		17		17				2		3				2	55,745			58		10		28				
41		1		1	350	1	350			1	1,183					2	30	5	2,271	1	328	1	779			7
42	1			1				1														1				
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44										1	3,500							3	500	1						5
45	1			1	300									1	9,000											
46								1	400															1	5,000	
47										1								2		1		1				
48	1			1	25	10		1	20					1				15	1,200	2	3,000	2	3,000			
49		4		4	100	5				1	10,000			1	2,500			6	500	5	2,000	5	2,000			27
50	17			17	2,000					5	130,681	1	200,000					3								
51										1	118,000			1	25,255			15	13,664	1	800	9	7,000			
52						2	600			2	50,000															
53						1	100																			
54	12			12	550	2		2						1	28,000			21	3,000	1	600	4	1,000	220		
55		1		1																1		1				
56										1	18,000															
57		1		1	48							2						2				1				
58		1		1	70													3		1		1				
59		1		1	250					1								3	2,160							
60		13		13	1,840							1	90,000													
61		1		1	75																					
62		2		2														3	100	1	200	1				
63	1			1	300	1	250			1	10,000							4		1		1				

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<b>MARYLAND</b>													
Baltimore	819,000	Playground Athletic League	133	250	93		733.40	34,921.80	158,392.38	194,047.58	M	Dr. William Burdick	1
Frederick	13,000	Playground Commission	2	4			30,500.00	100.00	557.50	31,157.50	M&P	A. L. McCordell, Jr.	2
<b>MASSACHUSETTS</b>													
Amesbury	12,000	Park Commission		2		4		438.00	262.00	700.00	M&P	Katherine Manning	3
Andover	10,000	Andover Guild	1	3	1	4		1,787.06	2,024.25	3,811.31	P	Charles C. Kimball	4
Arlington	30,000	School Department	3	3			125.00	1,252.94	2,986.25	4,364.19	M	Chester A. Moody	5
Athol	10,984	Recreation Commission	5	4			1,321.00	250.00	1,438.00	3,009.00	M	A. MacMaster	6
Attleboro	25,000	Horton Field	1	1	1							W. M. Kendall	7
Belmont	17,000	Park Commission	1	1				720.80	506.00	1,126.80	M	John C. Anderson	8
Beverly	25,000	Playground Committee	4	9	1			1,750.00	3,690.00	5,430.00	M	Lewis H. Harris	9
		Playground Department, Board of Public Works	15	8	1		2,300.00	2,022.00	1,540.00	5,862.00	M	James H. Fitzgibbons	10
		Park and Recreation Department	21	15	36		641,356.47	445,136.63	105,100.00	1,191,490.10	M	William P. Long	11
Boston	793,100	School Committee, Department of Physical Education	100	600	4			23,347.45	106,944.43	130,291.88	M	Nathaniel J. Young	12
		Department of Extended Use of Public Schools	120	130				25,000.00	45,000.00	70,000.00	M	James T. Mulroy	13
		Community Service	1	5	9			7,600.00	9,400.00	17,000.00	P	Mrs. W. D. Russell	14
Braintree	14,000	Park Commission	1	3		4		500.00	800.00	1,300.00	M&P	Albert F. Hollis	15
Brookton	65,000	Playground Commission	10	16			738.80	3,148.09	5,518.56	9,405.45	M	Abbie O. Delano	16
Brookline	43,000	Playground Department	4	12	8			13,500.00	33,500.00	47,000.00	M	Charles P. Cameron	17
Cambridge	120,000	Board of Park Commissioners	42	23	7					42,000.00	M	Stephen H. Mahoney	18
Chelsea	51,000	Park Commission	3	13				500.00	3,000.00	3,500.00	M	J. H. Crowley	19
Clinton	14,000	Playground and Recreation Commission	4	5						2,600.00	M	Josiah Stickney	20
Dalton	4,092	Community Recreation Association	5	6	1		300.00	9,200.00	7,850.00	17,350.00	M&P	Ben S. Dillenback	21
Danvers	12,000	Park Commission	1	2					360.00	4,800.00	M	Helen Fanning	22
Dedham	13,000	Community Association, Inc.	1	6	1							Mrs. Ada H. Pillsbury	23
Easthampton	11,000	Recreation Commission	6	6				860.00	1,600.00	2,400.00	M	Oliver W. Cobb	24
Everett	47,000	Playground Commission	2	4				4,628.00	1,872.00	6,500.00	M	Fred A. Hutchings	25
Fairhaven	12,000	Park Commission	1	1				1,400.00	300.00	1,700.00	M	John F. Dixon	26
Fall River	125,396	Park Board	1	1								Harold B. Dutton	27
Falmouth	5,000	Recreation Commission	14	11	16			1,193.10	23,444.10	25,442.20	M	Helen M. Leary	28
Framburg	43,609	School Department	1	1					6,000.00	6,000.00	M	Paul Dillingham	29
Framingham	20,000	Park and Playground Commission	9	9				2,527.00	3,093.00	5,620.00	M	G. A. Hubbard	30
Gardner	18,000	Park Commission	4	7			2,500.00	1,550.00	950.00	5,000.00	M	Arthur C. Winch	31
		Parks and Playgrounds Department	2	2			302.30	3,978.01	797.23	5,077.54	M	Arnold A. Bent	32
Gloucester	22,000	Bath House Commission	12	1	3					9,500.00	M	Arnold A. Bent	33
Grafton	6,887	Recreation Board	1				5,500.00			5,500.00	M	Katherine Heckman	34
Great Barrington	6,800	Board of Education	1				25.00		200.00	225.00	P	Albert S. Cole	35
Greenfield	15,600	Recreation Commission	1	3				512.00	288.00	800.00	M	George R. Bower	36
		Recreation and Playground Commission	5	11			1,100.00	800.00	1,800.00	3,700.00	M	Nellie O. Bascom	37
<b>HAMILTON</b>													
Wenham	3,000	Community Service	1							3,500.00	P	H. A. Thomas	38
Haverhill	49,084	Playground Department	5	5				1,026.66	3,344.18	4,370.84	M	F. James Caswell	39
Hingham	6,000	Playground Committee	2	2				657.00	560.00	1,217.00	M&P	Mrs. D. L. Belding	40
Holyoke	65,000	Parks and Recreation Commission	15	43			29,000.00	7,626.93	11,994.00	48,620.93	M	Mina F. Robb	41
Lawrence	95,000	Department of Public Property	10	10	1					36,696.84	M	William V. Crawford	42
Leominster	22,000	Community Service and Playground Department	1	6	1	8	900.00	1,293.00	2,407.00	4,600.00	M&P	Carolyn E. Hannigan	43
Lexington	8,000	Park Department	7	2								John J. Garrity	44
Lowell	110,000	Board of Park Commissioners	7	28			715,083.00	636.22	4,667.65	720,386.87	M&P	John W. Kernan	45
Ludlow	8,000	Athletic and Recreation Association and Playground Commission	7	4	2	5	3,726.00	500.00	7,000.00	11,226.00	M	John T. Hunt	46
Lynn	105,000	Board of Park Commissioners	10	16				25,163.78	5,321.16	30,384.94	M	John Morrissey	47
Malden	49,103	Park Commission	5	8								F. J. Walsh	48
Marblehead	8,000	Park Commission	1					40.00	160.00	200.00	M	William H. Symonds	49
Marlboro	10,238	Community Service Playground Committee		12				203.92	870.00	1,073.92	M&P	Ernest P. Carr	50
Medford	52,639	Park Commission	6	5				807.70	1,804.00	2,611.70	M	Edward P. Adams	51
Melrose	21,000	Board of Park Commissioners	4	8		1	17,600.00	308.75	2,558.25	20,467.00	M	Richard I. Lord	52
Middleboro	3,500	Community Service						2,200.00		2,200.00	P	Chester Weston	53
Milford	16,000	Town of Milford	2	4				200.00	800.00	1,000.00	M	Mrs. J. F. Damon	54
		Park Department	1	3				2,400.00	2,480.00	4,880.00	M	A. H. Yeaton	55
Milton	14,259	Cunningham Gymnasium and Park	2	1	2							W. L. Caldwell	56
Montague	8,000	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation	2	3	1		2,700.00	600.00	3,700.00	7,500.00	M	James E. Coogan	57
Natick	12,871	School Committee	1	7				376.83	702.00	1,078.83	M	F. W. Kingman	58
Newton	53,000	Playground Commission	38	41	16		6,656.00	43,350.00	33,385.00	83,391.00	M	Ernst Hermann	59
North Attleboro	10,000	Playground Association	2	4				450.00	1,050.00	1,500.00	P	Myrtle I. Lebrfeld	60
		Parent Teacher Association	2	4		1		250.00	450.00	700.00	M	Russell A. Wright	61
Norwood	15,000	Civic Association	1	1	2			8,000.00	5,000.00	13,000.00	M&P	Josephine A. Cogan	62
		Playground Committee	4	4				1,015.52	1,800.00	2,815.52	M&P	Mrs. H. B. K. Riemer	63
Orange	5,141	Recreation Commission	3	1				100.00	500.00	600.00	M&P	J. S. Whitman	64
Peabody	20,000	Playground Commission	7	8			14,000.00	2,600.00	3,000.00	19,600.00	M	Henry A. King	65
Pittsfield	50,000	Park Commission	9	12				1,000.00	3,500.00	4,500.00	M	D. F. Farrell	66
Plymouth	14,000	Park and Recreation Board	1					3,500.00	800.00	4,300.00	M	Harry Geary	67
Quincy	60,000	Park Commission	5	16			1,000.00	14,000.00	5,000.00	20,000.00	M	F. B. Mitchell	68
Reading	9,000	Woman's Club	5	3				329.08	675.00	1,004.08	M	Mrs. Mary Daniels	69

# RECREATION STATISTICS FOR 1927

the table

Number of City	Playgrounds Under Leadership				Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Playgrounds	Indoor Community Centers	Community Houses	Play Streets	Swimming Pools	Bathing Beaches	Golf Courses	Summer Camps	Tennis Courts	Athletic Fields	Baseball Fields	Other Areas	Total No. of Different Play Areas	
	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total														
1	5	84	80	169	118	3			6	50,470	4		106	34	395,972	14	3,263	21
2	5	5	5	15					1				3	2	4	6		
3		1	1	2									2	300	1	2		
4		3	3	6		1	50			1	10,000		6	1	1			
5		4	4	8		1				1	2,380		2	1	4	5,000		
6	1	1	1	3					1				4	3	4			
7	1	1	1	3					1	25,000				6	7			
8	2	5	7	14														
9																		
10		7	7	14	3	3,000				3				3	10			
11	33		33	66	11				16	2,639,633	9	2,021,697	1	53,034				
12	99	10	100	209									160	110				
13					12													
14		5	5	10					4				2	200	1	1,000	5	500
15		12	12	24						2	3,000							
16	1	7	8	16	1				4	109,000	1	18,000		1	5			12
17	4	6	15	25	4	600	1		2	127,000			12	1,200	7	8		
18	6	6	6	18					1				6	7	2	6	20	
19										1,350				6	5,000			
20		4	4	8										1				
21		3	3	6			1		1	3,752	1	5,900	1		2	2,000	1	5
22		1	1	2					1	1,000			4	200	2	5,000		
23	1	2	3	6		1												
24	3	3	3	9					1	3,500	2	4,500						
25	1	3	6	10									1			3		
26	1	1	1	3									4	1	1			
27	2	2	2	6									2	2				
28	12	12	12	36	6													
29	5	5	5	15	2				1			3	6	3	3			
30	8	8	8	24						10	2		6	1	8	192		
31	3	3	3	9	1					1			6	1	2			
32		2	2	4														
33		2	2	4					1				2		2			3
34									1									
35		1	1	2										1	3			
36	3	3	3	9					2				2	2	2			
37		7	7	14					1				8	3	4			
38	1	1	1	3	1								1					
39	7	7	7	21						1			3	3	2			
40	2	2	2	6						1			1					
41	14	14	14	42					3	122,949				1	8	3		20
42	7	7	7	21			16		2	141,000			6	42,358	5	11	2,278	24
43	4	4	4	12					1	5,000			2	600				
44	2	2	2	6					1	4,500			5	2	4,000	2	15,000	
45	12	2	14	26					2	50,000	1	75,000	33	25,000	8	5,000	13	300
46		4	4	8	1				1									
47	9	9	9	27						1			20	2,500	5	5,748	11	360
48	7	7	7	21									6		6			41
49	1	1	1	3						1			1	1	1			7
50		5	5	10														
51		5	5	10						1								
52		4	4	8						1	45,000		4	4	4			5
53										1			1	1	1			
54	2	2	2	6						1			1	1				
55	2	2	2	6					1				8	2	2			
56	1		1	2	1				1	15,000			5	5,000				
57	3	2	5	10									3	1,500	2	11,000	5	930
58		6	6	12						1			1					
59	7	16	23	46	5	200			4	250,000			31	30,000	5	15,000	15	35,000
60		2	2	4														
61		2	2	4														
62	1	4	5	10	1	500	1	500	1	300			4	100	1	50		
63																		
64	1	1	1	3						1	1,000				3		5,000	
65		7	7	14									3	500	1	200		
66		9	9	18						2					2			
67		4	4	8						1			3		2			
68	10	10	10	30						2			3		6			6
69	1	1	1	3					1				1	1	1		1	



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MASSACHUSETTS														
Salem	42,529	Board of Park Commissioners	16	26	1		650.27	5,006.41	5,842.50	11,499.18	M	Oliver G. Pratt	1	
Somerville	101,000	Recreation Commission	14	22						50,000.00	M	Francis J. Mahoney	2	
Southbridge	15,500	Playground Committee	2	16				1,344.00	661.86	2,005.86	M	F. E. Corbin	3	
Springfield	150,000	Department of Public Parks and Recreation	159	171	10			14,342.27	31,016.07	45,358.34	M	James S. Stevens	4	
Stoneham	10,000	Board of Park Commissioners	1					515.00	315.00	830.00	M	George Jeffs	5	
Taunton	48,000	Playground Commission	9	11			4,350.00	1,650.00	3,500.00	9,500.00	M	Sophia M. Dupont	6	
Wakefield	16,000	Recreation Commission	1	1							M	Ralph Davol	7	
Waltham	35,000	Recreation Department	15	17	1		4,000.00	9,200.00	6,500.00	19,700.00	M	Mrs. W. W. Greenough	8	
Watertown	30,000	Playground Commission	1	6			3,000.00	2,600.00	2,000.00	7,000.00	M	John L. Leary	9	
Webster	14,000	School Committee	6	6				900.00	1,500.00	2,400.00	M	Frances A. Kelly	10	
Wellesley	10,000	School Department	3	8			965.57	483.61	9,535.15	10,984.33	M	George H. Finnegan	11	
Westford	4,200	School Board	1	1						300.00	M	Dr. S. Monroe Graves	12	
West Springfield	15,000	Playground Commission	4	3				1,100.00	1,000.00	2,100.00	M	H. O. Sylvester	13	
West Warren	2,700	Recreation Association	5	2	1			2,000.00	1,500.00	3,500.00	M	R. B. Pillsbury	14	
Weymouth	18,000	Board of Park Commissioners	1	6						4,500.00	M&P	Victor Berthoume	15	
Winchester	12,000	Board of Park Commissioners	4	2						3,500.00	M	Francis W. Rea	16	
Woburn	16,000	Department of Playgrounds	5	6					1,610.00	3,000.00	M	G. T. Davidson	17	
Worcester	198,000	Department of Public Works	6	5						2,659.25	M	Mildred F. Doherty	18	
		Park and Recreation Commission	19	50			11,293.77	29,245.67	14,389.58	54,929.02	M	H. V. Mackrey	19	
												Thomas E. Holland	20	
MICHIGAN														
Albion	10,000	Community Recreation Association	3	6	1			1,030.67	3,362.50	4,393.17	M&P	Daniel Kick	21	
Ann Arbor	28,000	Department of Recreation, Public Schools and Park Department	10	6	1		15,600.00	400.00	4,390.00	20,390.00	M	L. H. Holloway	22	
Battle Creek	55,000	Board of Education, City Commission and Recreational Association	9	8	1			290.00	5,471.00	5,761.00	M	A. R. Flannery	23	
Bay City	52,000	City Commission	6	8				400.00	2,000.00	2,400.00	M	W. G. Robinson	24	
Birmingham	12,000	Board of Education	4	3	2			1,200.00	5,600.00	6,800.00	M&P	Clarence Vliet	25	
Caspian	2,500	Community Center	3	4	7	12	16	3,000.00	3,600.00	6,600.00	P	Walter M. Berry	26	
Detroit	1,350,000	Department of Recreation	208	257	110		60,486.00	98,816.00	518,810.00	678,112.00	M	C. E. Brewer	27	
		Department of Parks and Boulevards					195,500.00	102,411.00		297,911.00	M	Henry W. Busch	28	
Ferndale	20,000	Board of Education	3	2	2			1,500.00	3,000.00	4,500.00	M	Robert L. Peel	29	
Flint	150,000	Park Board	21	12	6	3	26,500.00	10,800.00	19,088.00	56,388.00	M	E. C. Dayton	30	
Grand Rapids	175,000	Community Music Association	1		1		1,250.00	2,210.00	10,400.00	13,860.00	M&P	William W. Norton	31	
		Bureau of Recreation, Division of Public Welfare and Board of Education	69	28	2		6,000.00	64,594.00	50,222.00	100,816.00	M	H. W. Lightner and H. Gork	32	
Greenville	5,140	Public Playground Committee	1							225.00	P	M. D. Whale	33	
Hamtramck	80,000	Department of Recreation of Board of Education	18	9	1			6,851.00	12,251.00	19,102.00	M	C. J. Reed	34	
Harbor Beach	2,000	Community Service	4	2	4		45,000.00	2,500.00	3,500.00	51,000.00	M	A. L. Cook	35	
Highland Park	80,000	Recreation Commission	23	19	13	10	183,000.00	39,440.00	47,560.00	270,000.00	M&P	T. H. Fewless	36	
Holland	15,000	City Playground Association	4	2				280.00	1,070.00	1,350.00	M	Leon N. Moody	37	
Holland	15,000	Board of Education	1	1							M	W. G. Robinson	38	
Jackson	60,000	Board of Education and Park Board	8	6			6,922.65	9,182.00	2,200.00	18,304.65	M	O. B. Goodrich and W. C. Trout	39	
Kalamazoo	58,000	Department of Recreation	16	12	2		500.00	2,366.00	8,290.00	11,156.00	M	Lawrence P. Moser	40	
		Douglas Community House	1	1				1,929.00	2,978.00	4,907.00	P	E. M. Barnes	41	
Lansing	85,000	Board of Park Commissioners	12	4	1		16,600.00	1,600.00	7,100.00	25,300.00	M&P	H. Lee Bancroft	42	
		Board of Education	8	6	1		1,000.00	800.00	3,450.00	5,250.00	M	J. Speelman	43	
Ludington	8,890	Public Schools	1	1	2	5	2	300.00	1,000.00	3,500.00	4,800.00	M	H. E. Waits	44
Manistee	10,000	School Board	3				1,500.00	200.00	580.00	2,280.00	M&P	B. Klager	45	
Midland	5,483	Community Center	2	3	3	2	2	12,715.18	5,931.35	18,646.53	M&P	Guy L. Shippe	46	
Monroe	15,000	Board of Education	3	5	1		6,200.00	425.00	1,650.00	8,275.00	M&P	C. W. Crandell	47	
Mount Clemens	14,500	Department of Recreation	7	6	2	5	1	515.00	485.00	2,750.00	M&P	Walter A. Olsen	48	
Muskegon	43,884	Public Schools	1							3,000.00	M	W. G. Robinson	49	
Niles	14,000	School, City and Progressive League	3	2	4							F. W. Crawford	50	
Pontiac	87,500	Recreation Division of Department of Public Welfare	13	12	2			20,474.00	7,940.00	28,414.00	M	Arthur E. Genter	51	
River Rouge	20,000	Recreation Commission	4	4	1		13,824.96	1,257.33	2,155.90	17,238.19	M	Frank Weeber	52	
Saginaw	74,400	Department of Recreation	9	16	1					19,564.00	M&P	C. F. Van Dusen	53	
Sturgis	7,500	Board of Education	1				227.26	61.07	350.00	638.33	M	C. A. Light	54	
Ypsilanti	10,000	Recreation Commission	7	7	1		5,000.00	5,665.00	4,372.00	15,037.00	M&P	Earl H. Risky	55	
MINNESOTA														
Albert Lea	4,000	School Board		1						500.00	M	J. R. Batchelor	56	
Bemidji	8,000	Board of Park Commissioners	9	1		3	2				M	N. E. Given	57	
Chisholm	10,000	School Board	6	10				500.00	10,000.00	10,500.00	M	J. R. Batchelor	58	
Crookston	7,000	Park Board	4	1		2					M	F. J. Lipovets	59	
Duluth	119,000	Recreation Department	161	55	7		1,350.00	13,798.73	43,312.55	58,461.28	M	F. H. Marvin	60	
Ely	6,000	Community Service Center	2	2	2	4				10,700.00	M	Ray Hoefler	61	
Eveleth	10,000	City of Eveleth and School District No. 39	9	6	2						M	A. W. Lewis	62	
Hibbing	22,000	Recreation Department	52	56	4			6,766.00	24,783.52	31,549.52	M	B. G. Leighton	63	
Little Falls	5,500	City Council								150.00	M	Earl C. Van Dusen	64	
Mankato	17,000	Board of Education	1	3							M	Louis Todnem	65	
		Recreation Department, Board of Park Commissioners	150	49	21			117,308.88	123,555.71	240,864.59	M	K. B. Raymond	66	
Minneapolis	480,000	Board of Education	13	13				1,700.00	5,260.00	6,960.00	M	R. C. Tapp	67	
Pipestone	3,500	Kiwanis Club	2	1		4			800.00	800.00	M&P	M. J. Meeker	68	



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	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Playgrounds	Number	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Community Centers	Number	Total Avg. Daily Att. of P'ts in All Com. H's	Number	Total Average Daily Attendance Participants	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total No. of Campers	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation
1	1	13	13	2,595	1	200				1	13,215	2	17,104				4		13		6						13
2	1	18	18	4,000	1					1		1						4		4		7					15
3																											
4	4	7	11	18	9,710	12	1,500	1	300			2	3,500			1	854	37		5		12		70			2
5	5	2	2	400																							
6	6	0	0	1,500						1								3		1		6					
7	7	1	1																								
8	8	1	1																								
9	9	3	3	2,500	2	60				2		1						4		2		3		6			
10	10	4	4	500								1	20,000														
11	11	5	5	1,100								1	15,000	1				2		2							5
12	12	1	5	4	100	9						1	200														
13	13	4	1	528	1																						
14	14	3	3																								
15	15	1	1																								
16	16	5	5	200																							
17	17	3	3	120														6		1		3					
18	18	5	5	300	1																						
19	19	5	5																								
20	20	16	16	9,699			3			6		6	327,857	1		1		27				20					
21	21	4	4	420	1	100				1	3,338							2		1		2					
22	22	3	3	1,200	6	150						1	12,990					11		1		1					
23	23	7	7	678	6	180				2				1				14		3		12					
24	24	5	5															8				5					
25	25	3	3	200	3	400	1	600										2		150	3	650	3	300			
26	26	1	2	400	1	300	1	400										2		40	1	1,200	1	400			
27	27	127	127	60,866	160	11,000	7	4,200		20	605,063						1	2,406	107	13,500	15	8,650	44	11,800			
28	28											1	399,221	3	229,000												
29	29	4	4		2					5	185,673			1				1		1		1					7
30	30	5	5				2							2	72,000			16		3		9					
31	31																										
32	32	10	19		36					9		2		2	84,000			19		12		12					14
33	33	4	4	78								4				1	52	2		2		4					
34	34	6	6	2,900	3					1	10,647							1		1		2		315			
35	35	2	2	60			1					1						2		1		1					
36	36	13	14		8		2			7	24,000							19		4		5					
37	37	4	4	400																							
38	38				2																						
39	39	6	6	1,124						1		1		1	53,054			6				2					
40	40	9	9	5,076	8					1	3,000	1	6,800	1				4		3,190	2	9					
41	41							30																			
42	42	4	4							1	24,120			1	49,997			12				4					
43	43	6	6		5					3											3		3				
44	44				4													2			1		1				
45	45	1	2		1																1		1				
46	46	2	2	145																							
47	47	3	3	660	3	100																					
48	48	4	4	600	1																						
49	49	1	1																								
50	50	9	9		2					1																	
51	51	4	4	700																							
52	52	1	2	900	1	300				1	28,000			1	10,675	1	33,223			2	7,235	2	50				6
53	53	15	15	2,500																							
54	54	3	1	100	1																						
55	55	13	3		4	135				1	7,000																
56	56																										
57	57	1	1																								
58	58	6	1		3																						
59	59	1	5		1																						
60	60	1	12		20																						
61	61	2	2		2	250																					
62	62	4	1		200																						
63	63	19	7		22																						
64	64																										
65	65	3	3	400																							
66	66	20	29																								
67	67	12	12	2,919	65																						
68	68	1	1	500																							

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STATE AND CITY	Popula- tion	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers			Volun- teer Workers		Expenditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	Number of City
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Perma- nent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incen- dentials	Salaries	Total			
MINNESOTA—Cont.														
Rochester	17,000	Parent Teacher Association	3	4					300.00	1,760.00	2,060.00	M&P	Paul F. Schmidt	1
St. Paul	300,000	Department of Parks, Play- grounds and Public Buildings	14	12	5				33,920.00	30,475.00	64,395.00	M	Ernest W. Johnson	2
South St. Paul	10,000	Public Schools				1					50.00	M	S. Ettinger	3
Virginia	16,500	Independent School District	4	9					316.96	2,280.00	2,596.96	M	Charlotte R. Curran	4
Winona	23,000	Playgrounds Association	6	5									C. D. Teare	5
MISSISSIPPI														
Clarksdale	11,300	Mothers' Club		3					70.00	970.00	1,040.00	M&P	Mrs. W. L. Gates	6
Meridian	35,000	Public Schools	1	12				350.00		300.00	650.00	M&P	H. M. Ivy	7
MISSOURI														
Boonville	6,000	Board of Education											C. E. Chrono	8
Hannibal	20,000	Playground and Recreation As- sociation	5	6							1,143.14	P	T. T. McKinney	9
Kansas City	375,000	Recreation Division, Welfare De- partment and Board of Educa- tion	23	21	1			1,200.00	16,314.00	61,962.12	79,476.12	M	George C. Tinker	10
Monett	6,500	Board of Education	1					15,000.00	500.00	300.00	15,800.00	M&P	C. E. Evans	11
St. Charles	12,000	Park Board	1			7		1,500.00	1,000.00	2,200.00	4,700.00	M	W. T. Sparenberg	12
St. Joseph	87,000	Board of Park Commissioners	4	5					97.03	1,002.97	1,100.00	M	W. L. Skoglund	13
Sedalia	25,000	Liberty Park Playground Com- mittee		1									F. F. Combs	14
MONTANA														
Bozeman	9,680	Department of Public Recreation		1	1			25,000.00		1,500.00	26,500.00	M&P	Woman's Club	15
Butte	7,000	General Federation of Women's Clubs											Mrs. Dolly Dean Burgess	16
Missoula	5,000	City of Missoula											Ira B. Fee	17
NEBRASKA														
Beatrice	10,000	Parent Teacher Association		1			8		5.00	120.00	125.00	P	Mrs. R. G. McCue	18
Fremont	12,006	Playground and Recreation As- sociation	1										R. A. Johnston	19
Havelock	4,500	Board of Education	1	1	2								Walter I. Black	20
Kearney	10,000	Park Commission											W. T. Souders	21
Lincoln	80,000	Recreation Board	6	8	2		12		253.37	3,087.50	3,340.87	M	Earl Johnson	22
NEVADA														
Tonopah	5,000	School Board	3	1									R. I. Jacobson	23
NEW HAMPSHIRE														
Claremont	12,000	Playground Commission		2				2,200.00	200.00	3,100.00	5,500.00	M	R. G. Blane	24
Concord	22,000	Department of Playgrounds, Park and Playground Com- mission	8	7				450.00	3,020.00	2,530.00	6,000.00	M	William E. Coughlin	25
Dover	14,109	Neighborhood House, Inc., Lathrop Memorial Building Association		4						490.00	3,000.00	M	Fred E. Quimley	26
				2	1	7	23		1,680.00	1,320.00	3,000.00	P	Edith Brewster	27
East Jaffrey	2,500	Parent Teacher Association	1								3,000.00	P	E. A. F. Anderson	28
Keene	12,000	City Playground Committee	3	1				120.00	229.25	300.00	300.00	P	Mrs. S. H. Austin	29
Lacota	14,000	Playground and Park Commission	2	3					1,660.00	660.00	1,009.25	M	Frank W. Whitcomb	30
Lancaster	3,000	Colonel Towne Community Center	1	1	2					940.00	2,600.00	M	Charles E. Lord	31
Lebanon	7,000	Carter Community Building As- sociation	2		2			600.00	1,000.00	2,400.00	4,000.00	P	Robert J. Fuller	32
Littleton	4,500	Community Center		1	1				1,500.00	2,000.00	3,500.00	M&P	Maynard L. Carpenter	33
Manchester	78,384	Parks, Commons and Play- grounds Commission	10	10					4,496.91	3,553.55	8,050.46	M	H. L. Heald	34
Nashua	29,800	Recreation Commission	9	7					2,083.03	4,646.78	6,729.81	M	Frank C. Livingston	35
Portsmouth	13,500	Board of Public Works	1	2					3,375.00	875.00	4,250.00	M&P	R. A. Pendleton	36
Rochester	10,000	School Board	1						99.02	200.00	299.02	M	George E. Osgood	37
													William H. Buker	38
NEW JERSEY														
Atlantic City	53,000	Department of Parks and Public Property, Bureau of Recreation	11	23					1,204.83	7,423.50	8,628.33	M	Glenn C. Heller	39
Avalon	5,000	Fun Chase Playground Commit- tee	1	1							1,800.00	P	Mrs. J. H. Gaskell	40
Belleville	28,000	Recreation Commission	4	5	1	50	50	3,520.66	1,604.75	3,374.59	8,500.00	M	Bernice S. Begeeman	41
Bernardsville	1,500	St. Bernard's Parish							25.00	125.00	150.00	P	Rev. T. A. Conover	42
Bloomfield	35,000	Community House	5	6	1	63	63		3,900.00	7,200.00	11,170.00	M&P	Charles C. Wright	43
Bordentown	4,371	Lions Club		2						200.00	200.00	P	David Styer	44
Bridgeton	15,000	Johnson B. Reeves Playground Association		1				460.00	50.00	200.00	710.00	P	William I. Barker	45
Burlington	12,500	Playground Committee of Civic League		3					50.00	192.00	242.00	M&P	Noble Wagner	46
Camden	137,000	Burlington County Tubercu- losis League		1					22.82	90.00	112.82	P	Margaret S. Haines	47
Collingswood	10,000	Department of Parks and Public Property	31	32				6,053.43	2,412.73	18,992.19	27,458.35	M	Phillips R. Brooks	48
Cranford	10,000	Board of Education	1	5					382.28	910.00	1,292.28	M	J. C. Roberts	49
East Orange	65,575	Playground Commission	2	1					454.38	847.60	1,301.98	M	Mrs. G. K. Warner	50
Elizabeth	120,000	Board of Recreation Commis- sioners	6	6	1			86,600.00	7,025.00	18,975.00	112,604.00	M	Lincoln E. Rowley	51
Englewood	12,000	Recreation Commission	31	27	4			15,891.66	8,889.08	16,295.75	41,076.49	M	Claude A. Allen	52
		/Board of Education	1	1					100.00	400.00	500.00	M	H. R. Spencer	53
		Social Service Federation, Inc.	2	8	7						20,000.00	P	Anne F. Smith	54

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	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total																									
1	6	6		651										7	500	1	400	1	100										
2	25	6		31	16,000	2	675			1	103,307	2	60,000	75	13,000	6	500,000	15	2,500										
3															3	3,500	2	2,500	2	2,500							1	15,835	
4					785				1	12,365					2		3		3										
5																													
6	1	1		2					1	3,500					2	146	2	150	2	150									
7				1	40										3	1,200		1	1,200										
8									1																				
9		5		5	300										2		1												
10		20		20	8,000				3	30,000	1	10,000	3	40,000	93	200,000	3	3,000	17	18,000									
11	1			1	75			1	25						3														
12		1		1	100										1	400	2	350	1	150									
13		4		4					2				1		8				3										
14		1		1	125				1						1		1												
15	1			1		1																							
16									1																				
17									3				1						2				2						
18		8		8																									
19		6		6	450	3	500		1	1,000	2	1,000			5														
20	2			2	500	1	100								1	50													
21																													
22		13		13	845				1				1		6				8										
23	2			2	400	2	40	1				1	900		1		1	600	1	700									
24	1	1		2	300	2		1	100						5														
25		7		7	750							4	5,950		4	1,000		4		7	15,000								
26		3		3				1	50																				
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35		8		8	1,600							2																	
36		5	3	8	1,125							1			1														
37		2		2	200										4														
38		1		1	50							1	2,400		1	700	1	700	1	1,200									
39		7		7	1,140										27			1											
40		1		1				1							2														
41		3		3	300	2	20	1	40																				
42		1		1	100										1														
43		6		6	850	2	50	1	110						2	2,200													
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45		1		1	240										2			1											
46						3	125						2		1			1											
47		1		1	40												1	50											
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49		4		4	200																								
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51		3		3											18	500	3	300	8	1,000									
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NEW JERSEY														
Cont.														
Essex County	652,205	Essex County Park Commission	23	34					6,532.88	10,718.06	17,250.94	M	David I. Kelly	1
Gloucester	20,000	Children's Welfare Association	1	5					400.00	1,000.00	1,400.00	M	Mrs. Kathryn I. Antrim	2
Hackensack	25,000	Playground Committee	5	6					252.00	2,248.00	2,500.00	M	F. A. Robbins	3
Hackettstown	3,000	Board of Education	1							200.00	200.00	M	V. C. Brugler	4
Hoboken	68,800	Department of Parks and Public Property	15	4	19				4,987.30	23,500.00	28,487.30	M	Julius Durstewitz	5
Irrington	46,000	Department of Public Recreation	5	5	1	90	3				16,500.00	M	Philip Le Boutillier	6
Jersey City	325,000	Department of Parks, Playgrounds and Public Property	18	10	12			3,800.00	2,300.00	25,800.00	31,900.00	M	James A. Cavanagh	7
Kearny	35,000	Board of Recreation Commission	3	3					5,464.00	5,800.00	11,264.00	M	Charles W. McWilliams	8
Long Branch	13,521	Board of Education											C. T. Stone	9
Millburn	7,500	Shade Tree Commission	1	1	1								Mrs. W. K. Wallbridge	10
Montclair	40,000	Department of Health Education	14	6					208.96	4,027.98	4,236.94	M	F. G. Armstrong	11
Moorestown	7,500	Recreation Commission	4	6	5	38	46		5,719.38	8,090.62	13,810.00	M&P	Ben F. Rumpeltes	12
Morristown	14,000	Neighborhood House Association	3	8	3				3,173.59	6,272.95	9,446.54	P	A. H. Pierson	13
		Park and Playground Committee	1					3,500.00	500.00	1,000.00	5,000.00	M	T. F. Dunn	14
Mount Tabor	500	Playground Commission		1					100.00	125.00	225.00	P	William C. Cudlipp	15
Newark	500,000	Board of Education	71	62	37			82,212.02	12,975.65	55,612.85	150,800.52	M	Randall D. Warden	16
New Brunswick	40,000	Department of Playgrounds	6	4						2,150.00	3,000.00	M	William Beck	17
Orange	35,000	Department of Parks and Public Property	14	10	3					6,700.00	24,000.00	M	Carl F. Seibert	18
Passaic	70,000	City Recreation Department	17	15	2				2,860.00	9,440.00	12,300.00	M	Reeve B. Harris	19
Paterson	152,000	Board of Recreation	27	22	2	3	3	1,500.00	6,361.55	25,893.45	33,755.00	M	Dr. L. R. Burnett	20
Perth Amboy	50,000	Department of Playgrounds and Recreation	17	14	2		1	4,654.49	1,650.51	8,625.84	14,930.84	M	C. A. Emmons, Jr.	21
Phillipsburg	20,000	Department of Parks and Public Property											George L. Hartman	22
Plainfield	40,000	Public Recreation Commission	19	6	2	9	9	2,000.00	2,803.79	7,446.21	12,250.00	M	R. O. Schleiter	23
		Roosevelt Parent Teacher Association		1			1	338.00		90.00	428.00	P	Mrs. Kathryn A. Darte	24
Ridgefield Park	12,000	Board of Commissioners		1						200.00	200.00	M	Elwood G. Hoyt	25
Ridgewood	11,000	Board of Education	3	25		15	10		1,000.00	2,000.00	3,500.00	M	Ira W. Travell	26
Rumson	2,000	Victory Memorial Park Foundation		1		1							Bertram H. Borden	27
Rutherford	12,000	Playground Committee	2	2				397.27	22.35	877.25	1,296.87	M&P	John F. Keating	28
Salem	8,000	Playground Association		2			3	19.36	17.01	180.00	216.37	M&P	Mrs. Harry L. Finlaw	29
South Orange	13,000	Recreation Commission	1	1	1					6,000.00	13,500.00	M	Joseph J. Farrell	30
Spring Lake Beach	1,600	Memorial Community House												
		Trustees		1		4	2		4,000.00	2,000.00	6,000.00	M&P	Alfred E. Blackman	31
Summit	13,000	Board of Recreation Commission	4	3				14,913.21			16,673.17	M	Gertrude Gross	32
Union County	225,000	Union County Park Commissioners	7	10	1				5,180.89	16,149.55	21,330.44	M	F. S. Mathewson	33
West New York	40,000	Board of Recreation Commissioners	8	2	6						18,000.00	M	Francis J. Schaack	34
West Orange	16,000	Department of Parks and Public Property and Community League	13	10	12						25,810.00	M&P	Joseph W. Byrne	35
NEW MEXICO														
Albuquerque	35,000	Board of Education	3	1	1				150.00	1,200.00	1,350.00	M	Harlan Siningar	36
Chimayo	1,500	Playground Committee		4	1								Zoe Ellsworth	37
Deming	3,500	Chamber of Commerce									525.00	P	George D. Robinson	38
Las Cruces	7,000	Rotary Club	1										F. E. Powell	39
NEW YORK														
Albany	125,000	Department of Public Works	22	43	1					7,500.00	7,500.00	M	Frederick F. Futterer	40
Albion	5,062	Rotary Club	1	1					100.00	270.00	370.00	P	Carl I. Bergerson	41
Auburn	39,000	Playground Department	5	7					725.00	1,960.00	2,685.00	M	Mrs. F. M. Hosmer	42
Ballston Spa	5,000	Community House		1					800.00	1,500.00	2,300.00	P	Mrs. S. S. Whalen	43
Beacon	12,000	Recreation Commission	3	3							1,100.00	M	E. P. Barry	44
Binghamton	80,000	Board of Education	11	22					1,000.00	3,892.50	4,892.50	M	Effie F. Knowlton	45
		Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks	17	19	36			97,003.00	70,750.00	115,940.00	283,693.00	M	Joseph F. Suttner	46
Buffalo	600,000	Extension Department, Board of Education	100	80					2,987.83	35,972.50	38,960.33	M	Dr. George E. Smith	47
Cambridge	1,600	Playground Committee of Community Association		2						250.00	250.00	P	H. S. Hoard	48
Canastota	4,000	Playground Commission	1	2					19.30	330.00	349.30	M	Mrs. R. H. Imhofe	49
Cohoes	25,000	Recreation Commission	12	13									B. W. Beach	50
Cold Spring Harbor	800	Playground Committee	1	2							1,580.00	M&P	Harriet G. Valentine	51
Corning	16,000	Board of Public Works	2	2					3,174.11	6,000.00	9,174.11	M	W. O. Drake	52
Dunkirk	20,000	Board of Education and City Council	5	5					500.00	1,120.00	1,620.00	M	K. Hoepfner	53
Eastchester	15,000	Recreation Commission	9	6	1				2,213.24	4,800.00	7,013.24	M&P	Marion Haviland	54
Elmira	54,000	City Recreation Commission, Park Board and Community Service	6	17	3	150	150				40,817.39	M&P	Z. Nespor	55
Elmsford	3,000	Playground Committee		1					80.11	200.00	280.11	M	Mrs. S. L. Stix	56
Geneva	18,000	Park Board	4	5					200.00	1,600.00	1,800.00	M	W. A. Gracey	57
Glens Falls	22,000	Municipal Recreation Commission	4	8				1,038.17	696.32	3,557.13	5,291.62	M	Ralph Homan	58
Gloversville	22,110	Board of Education	3	1	1				3,851.51	3,436.40	7,287.91	M	A. E. Severn	59
Hastings-on-Hudson	10,000	Woman's Club	1										Mrs. R. H. Shren	60



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	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total		Number	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Community Centers	Number	Total Avg. Daily Att. of Participants All Com. H's	Number	Total Average Daily Attendance Participants	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number		Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation
1				26	6,931						2	120,000		10	31,000	32	20	
2	26				600	2	600						154		4		21	32
3	5				600													
4	1			1	60													
5	9			9		1												
6		4		4		4		1	4,000				8	4,000	1		3	
7	3	10		13	7,800	3	96						16	9,000	3	600	6	1,200
8		4		4	500												2	76
9									2								1	
10	1			1	100	3	200			1			4		1		1	
11		5	3	8	508	13		1					4	1,438	2		1	
12		3		3	810	2	112	1	250		1	8,340	3		5	100,000	5	125,000
13						1	150											
14		1		1	730				1				4		1		6	
15		1		1						1								
16	13	26	16	55	37,170	25												
17		4		4	1,247				1				8				2	
18	3	6		9	2,000	2			4				10		2		2	
19		7		7	8,000	9	440		1	40,850			12	6,000	1		4	15,000
20		21		21	7,200	9	900			18	3,000		2	1,500	2	250	6	1,200
21	1	6		7	3,000	8	800										4	
22																		
23		6		6		1			1	13,000			1	6,148	2	4,180		13
24		1		1	60													
25		1		1														
26		1	6	7	2,000								6		7	250,000		
27	1			1	200					1			2					
28		2		2	200								1		1		1	
29		2		2	70												2	
30	1			1					1				8		1			
31								1										
32		4		4	677						2		1		2			
33		6		6						1	20,619		2	181	12	32,631	1	35,585
34	4			4									12		2		1	
35	3			3	800	1		1					6				16	
36	2			2	100				2				2				2	
37	1			1	90			1	65								1	
38													1				1	
39												1	3				1	
40	6	12		18		14			1				45		7		9	
41		1		1	60								2					
42		6		6	625			1									1	10,000
43								1					2		1			
44		3		3														
45		9		9	2,000								8		2		2	
46	20			20	14,000	7		7					55		1		30	
47	17			17	2,435	39	1,726											
48	1			1	50										1		1	
49		1		1	70													
50		8		8	2,300				1				6		1		2	
51	1			1	95				1	200	1	2,340					1	32
52		1		1	300				1	50,000			2				2	
53		2		2	250	3	150											
54		3		3			1						2		1		3	
55	14			14	2,000				1	27,000		1		20	46,000	6		
56		1		1	60													
57		4		4	700													
58		5		5	500													
59	1	1	1	3	350					1	20,494		4		1		3	
60	1			1	40								6		1		1	

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STATE AND CITY	Popula- tion	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers		Volun- teer Workers		Expenditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	Number of City		
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Perma- nent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and In- cidentals	Salaries				Total	
NEW YORK—Cont.															
Herkimer.....	12,000	Recreation Commission.....	4	5				325.00	647.76	1,549.00	2,521.76	M&P	Helen A. Mangan.....	1	
Hoosick Falls.....	5,050	Public Schools.....	1		1	4			300.00	1,450.00	1,750.00	M	W. Leon Hutt.....	2	
Hudson.....	12,000	City Playground Committee.....	1	5					166.00	840.00	1,006.00	M	R. M. Cowan.....	3	
Hudson Falls.....	6,300	Recreation Commission.....	1	1				79.51	65.49	350.00	495.00	M	David S. Fisk.....	4	
Huntington.....	15,000	Service League.....	2	2	2	5	100	1,800.00	1,700.00	2,000.00	5,500.00	P	Helen M. Bauer.....	5	
Ilion.....	11,500	Playground Association.....									300.00	P	George M. Carney.....	6	
Ithaca.....	18,000	Board of Education.....	3	15	4			7,000.00	1,500.00	3,500.00	12,000.00	M	Edgar E. Bredbenner.....	7	
Jamestown.....	43,414	Board of Education.....	14	8					368.60	2,523.52	2,892.12	M	H. T. Watson.....	8	
Johnstown.....	11,000	Recreation Committee of Business Men's Association.....		1				16.88	70.15	210.00	297.03	M	Emma Howe.....	9	
Kenmore.....	11,000	Village of Kenmore.....		1							5,300.00	M	Walter Tucker.....	10	
Laekawanna.....	20,000	Playground Department of Public Works.....	10	3			1			4,677.15	7,128.52	M	E. W. Fennie.....	11	
Leroy.....	4,500	Playground and Recreation Commission.....	2	1	1	64	22		1,591.50	3,408.50	5,000.00	M&P	Daniel A. Carroll.....	12	
Margaretville.....	850	Parent Teacher Association.....	1									M	Mrs. G. A. Scott.....	13	
Mechanicville.....	9,000	Department of Public Safety.....	2	6				500.00	200.00	1,100.00	1,800.00	M	G. Kenneth Baxter.....	14	
Middletown.....	21,000	Recreation Commission.....	5	3							2,500.00	M	Edmond Miller, Jr.....	15	
Mohawk.....	2,919	Playground Commission.....				1					700.00	M&P	Harry M. Fisher.....	16	
Mount Vernon.....	55,030	Recreation Commission.....	32	20	5	5		60,447.00	3,775.71	14,489.01	78,711.72	M	Donald L. Macken.....	17	
Newburgh.....	33,000	Recreation Commission.....	2	6	2			22,708.00	4,235.00	7,458.00	34,401.00	M	Douglas G. Miller.....	18	
New Rochelle.....	47,000	Recreation Committee, Board of Education.....	7	18	1						9,000.00	M	E. A. Wilson.....	19	
New York City...	5,970,800	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan.....	84	99	50				10,500.00	120,663.00	131,163.00	M	James V. Mulholland.....	20	
		Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks, Borough of Bronx.....	2	31	7				5,050.00	21,256.00	26,306.00	M	John J. McCormack.....	21	
		Bureau of Recreation, Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.....	43	51	30			13,000.00	6,500.00	68,165.00	87,665.00	M	John J. Downing.....	22	
		Department of Parks, Borough of Queens.....									2,500.00	M	Anthony V. Grande.....	23	
		Bureau of Extension Activities, Board of Education.....	889	890		61	62				731,637.11	M	Eugene C. Gibney.....	24	
Niagara Falls.....	70,000	Board of Education.....	6	6					750.00	4,000.00	4,750.00	P	Mrs. Elisabeth Van Vleck.....	25	
Norwich.....	8,000	Playground Commission.....	2	4				123.75	101.30	852.00	1,077.05	M	Harold W. Herkimer.....	26	
Olean.....	2,800	Board of Education.....	7	6	1	2		103,000.00	1,949.05	3,320.00	113,269.05	M	Anna Howe.....	27	
Oneida.....	11,000	Recreation Commission.....	1	4	1	2						M	A. W. Buley.....	28	
Oneonta.....	14,000	Board of Education.....	1	3	1									Donald D. Frier and Sadie G. Frey.....	29
		Park Department.....		2				90.00	200.00	290.00	M	A. E. Risedorph.....	30		
		Community Recreation Association.....	1	1									Lewis A. Asher.....	31	
Patchogue.....	10,000	Depew Park Playground Committee.....	1	1									Robert Emery.....	32	
Peekskill.....	17,993	Board of Education.....	2	2					47.24	140.00	187.24	M	F. J. Bohlman.....	33	
Plattsburgh.....	12,000	Recreation Commission and Community Service.....	1	8	1	4	2	41,000.00	2,827.63	3,572.08	47,399.71	M&P	Mrs. R. L. Delaney.....	34	
Portchester.....	24,000	Board of Education.....	3	21	1			1,812.82	579.99	3,123.50	5,516.31	M	Rosalind F. Rieman.....	35	
Poughkeepsie.....	40,000	William A. Reed Memorial House.....	1	2	2	1	1		9,041.07	5,171.90	14,212.97	P	Sam J. Kalloch.....	36	
Purchase.....	1,000	Recreation Commission.....	2	3				85.00	1,400.00	1,485.00	1,485.00	P	Vivian O. Willis.....	37	
Rensselaer.....	12,000	Memorial Library Trustees.....		1	1				85.00	1,400.00	1,485.00	P	William J. Adams.....	38	
Rhinecliff.....	400	Department of Parks Bureau of Playgrounds and Recreation.....	53	66	57			10,894.37	38,223.71	155,511.52	204,629.60	M	Harriet E. Wooley.....	39	
Rochester.....	325,000	Health Education Department, Board of Education.....	11	11										Chester B. Leake.....	40
		Board of Public Works.....	9	7				1,000.00	1,300.00	3,000.00	5,300.00	M	Elmer K. Smith.....	41	
Rome.....	30,000	Park and Recreation Association.....	1										C. T. Lanigan.....	42	
Sag Harbor.....	2,993	Board of Education.....	1	2					13.05	690.00	703.05	M	Walter H. Dippel.....	43	
Saratoga Springs.....	13,181	Community Service Committee, Woman's Club.....	1	1		2	2						Thomas J. Neilan.....	44	
Scarsdale.....	6,500	Bureau of Parks.....	13	11									H. H. Axworthy.....	45	
Schenectady.....	92,786	Board of Education.....											Charles J. McFaden.....	46	
Silver Creek.....	3,500	Board of Education.....	1										W. E. Johnson.....	47	
Solvay.....	7,500	Park Department.....	47	56	3						144,868.18	M&P	Anna L. Murtagh.....	48	
Syracuse.....	197,000	Playground Committee of Civic League.....		1					91.46	470.00	561.46	M&P	Mrs. Lucia L. Knowles.....	49	
Tarrytown.....	6,000	Recreation Department.....	25	22	2	10	15				26,797.31	M	Mrs. George H. S. Rowe.....	50	
Troy.....	75,000	Department of Recreation.....	26	44	3			875.00	4,954.50	16,500.00	22,329.50	M	Paul J. Lynch.....	51	
Utica.....	109,000	Department of Public Works.....	9	6				391.73	3,303.40	3,695.13	3,695.13	M	M. Eathyr Fitzgerald.....	52	
Watertown.....	32,000	Playground and Recreation Committee.....	5	8					300.00	1,400.00	1,700.00	M	William I. Graf.....	53	
Watervliet.....	17,000	Westchester County Recreation Commission.....	5	16	5	10	12	16,799.83	15,832.00	32,631.83	32,631.83	M&P	Robert J. Munsey.....	54	
Westchester Co.**	425,798	Board of Education.....	2	3				609.19	785.00	1,394.19	1,394.19	M	Chester G. Marsh.....	55	
White Plains.....	30,000	Community Service Commission.....	18	19	14			16,572.50	33,440.00	50,012.50	50,012.50	M	Mrs. Henry P. Griffin.....	56	
Yonkers.....	119,000												James F. McCrudden.....	57	
NORTH CAROLINA															
Ashville.....	45,000	Recreation Commission.....	1	8	5		1		1,000.00	4,750.00	5,750.00	M	Kathrine Park.....	58	
Charlotte.....	80,000	Park and Recreation Commission.....	2	8	1			100.00	500.00	5,400.00	6,000.00	M	W. J. Cartier.....	59	

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	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total																	
1		4		4	501									3							
2			1	1	40	1	100							1	400	3	60				
3		4		4	675			1	200												
4		1		1	145													1			
5	1	1		2	50	1	100	1	70					2	1,000	2	1,000				
6		1		1	50																
7	4	6		10	741	2	450	2		1	11,000	2	400	300	2	4		14			
8		8		8	1,033	8								2	4	4					
9		1		1																	
10		1		1	300																
11		6		6	283																
12		1		1	81	1	35			2	4,502	1	55	4	2,132	1	1,000	2	150		
13		1		1																	
14		3		3	275					1	12,600										
15		4		4	950																
16	2			2		1															
17	8	5		13	2,500	20	485							2	4	1	4		15		
18	1	3		4	2,000									4	10,000	1	2	9,000			
19		7		7	1,200	6	200			2				10	2		4				
20	47			47		9								44				4			
21	5	7		12				1		2	138,770	3	256,749	1	67	3	40				
22	23	7		30				1		2		1		380	5	46			30		
23										3	30,000	1	250	8	100	2	350	14	500		
24	410			410	152,718	331	138,842		24			65		130	22	26	128				
25		6		6	3,415																
26		10		10	2,000			2	16,500												
27		2		2	350																
28	1	7		8		5		1	11,323					2	400	1	1,500	5	2,934		
29	3			3	120									6		2	4				
30	1	3		4	171									6		4	5				
31		1		1	65									1		1			2		
32	2		1	3	1,500	2	250		1	1				4		2	2				
33		1		1	90																
34		1		1	300	5	1		2	125	4	500	5	1,000	25	12	10	6			
35		5		5		3	300							4	200	2	3				
36	1	4		5	900					1	137,835		1			2	4		5		
37	2			2	34			1	51					6		2	1				
38		3		3	200									2		1					
39		1		1	75			1	90					2		1					
40	20	10		30		3	1			4	303,400	2	137,669	3	1	1,000	39	10	17	2	123,235
41						17															
42		5		5	2,500									5	7,000	5	150,000	4			
43		1		1																	
44	2			2	100									9	1,100	1	400	2	200		
45		1		1	300									1				3		2	
46		7		7	5,000																
47								2	18,000	1	100,000			32	10,000	2	16,000	3	25,000		
48						1								2	250	1	150	1	600		
49		15		15	9,080	9	300	3						60	150,000	18	100,000	18	150,000	133	
50	1			1		1														3	
51		10	1	11	3,500	1	250		1	29,207				16	36,700	1	400	4	12,000		
52		16		16	2,255	12	174							29		1	10	3		41	
53		3		3	500				2	32,372			1			2		3			
54		4		4	500				2	300											
55																					
56		3		3																	
57		11		11		12	3	8	2	48,583				17	21,000	3	6	28,000			
58	4	1	5	10		5		1						5				2			
59	6			6	500						1			9			2	4			



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NORTH CAROLINA—Cont.														
Concord.....	12,000	Board of Education.....	3	1	4				300.00	1,000.00	1,300.00	M	H. W. Blanks.....	1
Durham.....	45,000	Recreation Commission.....	14	12	1	35	40	700.00	2,000.00	7,000.00	9,700.00	M&P	C. R. Wood.....	2
Gastonia.....	25,000	City of Gastonia.....		1				2,000.00	200.00	300.00	2,500.00	M	David Struthers.....	3
Goldboro.....	15,000	Wayne County Community Association.....	4	4	2	1		725.00	961.31	4,867.00	6,553.31	C-M-P	Robert C. Robinson.....	4
Greensboro.....	50,000	Parks and Recreation Commission.....											H. W. Park.....	5
Hickory.....	7,500	Board of Education.....	2	4					1,000.00	3,600.00	4,600.00	M	R. W. Carver.....	6
Kinston.....	13,000	Civic Club.....											Mrs. J. A. Powers.....	7
Lexington.....	10,000	Recreation Commission.....	2	1	1				250.00	1,950.00	2,200.00	M&P	Rebekah Carpenter.....	8
Salisbury.....	21,000	City Schools.....	1	1							950.00	P	Guy B. Phillips.....	9
Southport.....	2,500	Board of Education.....	1	2					500.00	500.00	1,000.00	M	Lester J. Dawkins.....	10
Spindale.....	3,000	Spindale House Council.....	1	1	2				1,320.00	2,400.00	3,720.00	M	B. L. Smith.....	11
Statesville.....	15,618	Chamber of Commerce.....				10	3				2,000.00	M	Bailey T. Groome.....	12
Winston-Salem.....	80,000	City Public Schools.....	20	13	2			7,775.00	9,513.00	8,905.00	26,193.00	M	L. B. Hathaway.....	13
NORTH DAKOTA														
Grand Forks.....	20,000	Park Commission.....		1		1	12					M	M. B. Kannooski.....	14
Jamestown.....	8,000	Park Board.....	3	2	1				523.50	647.00	1,170.50	M	James A. Murray.....	15
Lisbon.....	1,800	Park Board.....	2										John B. Adams.....	16
Minot.....	16,000	City Park Board.....	1			20		2,000.00	500.00	2,000.00	4,500.00	M	C. A. Wilson.....	17
OHIO														
Akron.....	208,000	Board of Education.....	8	4	1				1,000.00	3,000.00	4,000.00	M	Milton Seits.....	18
Barnesville.....	4,980	Public Schools.....											Paul V. Brown.....	19
Bellefontaine.....	10,000	Recreation Commission.....	2	7				330.00	709.96	2,073.57	3,113.53	P	Nellie Huston.....	20
Bluffton.....	1,950	Board of Education.....	1						250.00	200.00	450.00	M&P	A. J. B. Longsdorf.....	21
Bucyrus.....	12,000	Playground Commission.....	9	2					400.00	300.00	700.00	M&P	Edward D. Carrigan.....	22
Canton.....	110,000	Recreation Board.....	9	22	3			102,200.00	2,418.70	11,070.00	115,688.70	M	C. W. Schnake.....	23
Cincinnati.....	411,000	Public Recreation Commission.....	85	85	12			311,129.00	20,047.68	68,823.32	400,000.00	M	Will R. Reeves.....	24
		Department of Parks and Public Property.....	74	62	8			850,250.00	106,753.00	206,784.00	1,163,787.00	M	Samuel Newman.....	25
		Division of Playgrounds and Community Centers, Board of Education.....	168	155	12						150,410.00	M	Alfred O. Anderson.....	26
		Recreation Council.....	3		3				6,660.00	18,340.00	25,000.00	P	Harold O. Berg.....	27
		Girls' Council.....	3	15	3	10				5,760.00	12,918.00	P	Isabel P. Kennedy.....	28
		Hiram House.....	3	2	1	10	10	88.29	1,472.16	5,210.29	6,770.74	P	Mary E. Gilbert.....	29
Cleveland Heights.....	40,000	Division of Public Recreation.....	22	18	1	8		7,000.00	4,377.44	18,398.91	29,713.35	M	Earle D. Campbell.....	30
Columbus.....	310,000	Division of Public Recreation.....	57	48	12			53,832.00	23,521.00	50,000.00	127,353.00	M	A. W. Raymond.....	31
Dayton.....	180,000	Bureau of Recreation, Division of Public Welfare.....	27	18	7						69,024.00	M&P	G. W. Moore.....	32
Defiance.....	8,500	City of Defiance.....	1											33
Delaware.....	9,000	Playground Association.....	4	4	1				250.00	1,400.00	1,650.00	M&P	W. R. Ash.....	34
East Liverpool.....	24,000	Playground Association.....	1	1		5	5						Mrs. John T. Bowers.....	35
Fremont.....	13,000	Federation of Women.....	1						100.00	250.00	350.00	P	Ellen A. Brady.....	36
Girard.....	8,000	Recreation Board.....		3					400.00	675.00	1,075.00	M&P	Dr. G. L. Moore.....	37
Lakewood.....	65,000	Department of Public Recreation, Board of Education.....	28	26	3				9,700.00	13,500.00	23,200.00	M	George E. Bickford.....	38
Lancaster.....	20,000	North, South, East and West Parent Teacher Associations.....	1	4							1,000.00	M&P	J. J. Phillips.....	39
Lima.....	55,000	Recreation Board.....	10	9	1			200.00	1,700.00	5,500.00	7,400.00	M	C. C. Sexton.....	40
Lorain.....	45,000	Public Schools.....	7	2		10	10		200.00	2,380.00	2,580.00	M&P	George Daniel.....	41
McDonald.....	5,000	Carnegie Steel Company.....		1									A. R. Mathieson.....	42
		Playground Association.....	6	5					206.27	1,772.00	1,978.27	P	Philip Smith.....	43
Mansfield.....	32,000	Friendly House.....	1	1									S. W. Knarr.....	44
Marietta.....	15,000	Y. M. C. A.....	1	4									A. G. Marquis.....	45
Martins Ferry.....	15,000	Playground Committee.....	1	4		2	3		150.00	400.00	550.00	P	A. F. Selby.....	46
Massillon.....	30,000	School Board.....	4	5		4	6		479.56	2,020.00	2,499.56	M	Marie Heitsman.....	47
Middletown.....	30,000	Bureau of Recreation of Civic Association.....	6	5									D. W. Jacot.....	48
Mingo.....	4,500	Carnegie Steel Company and Board of Education.....	2	3									A. R. Mathieson.....	49
Newark.....	30,000	Board of Education.....	5	2					800.00	2,900.00	3,700.00	M	O. J. Barnes.....	50
Niles.....	20,000	Recreation Board.....	1	5	1			990.00	945.00	3,175.00	5,110.00	M	James A. Fitzgerald.....	51
Paulding.....	2,106	Women's Federated Clubs.....	1	1		1	4				200.00	P	Mrs. C. E. Crowell.....	52
Piquette.....	16,000	Board of Education.....	6	9		10	15		100.00	1,040.00	1,140.00	M&P	Raymond S. Mote.....	53
St. Mary's.....	6,000	Community Welfare Association.....				1	1				3,000.00	P	C. C. McBroom.....	54
Salem.....	10,000	Memorial Building Association.....	2	1	3			650.00	5,910.00	6,740.00	13,300.00	P	J. M. Kelly.....	55
Sandusky.....	25,000	Playground Committee of Federation of Women's Clubs.....	1	3			4	452.86	83.67	800.00	1,336.53	P	Wilma K. Link.....	56
Springfield.....	70,000	Playground Association.....	19	19							6,300.00	P	Oliver R. Cornwell.....	57
Stuebenville.....	35,000	Recreation Board.....	3	4					1,700.00	1,800.00	3,500.00	M	J. A. Cartledge.....	58
		Community Recreation Department of Board of Education.....	18	15	1				2,440.00	6,600.00	9,040.00	M	T. G. Keller.....	59
Toledo.....	320,000	Division of Recreation, Playgrounds and Amusements.....	14	16	2			235,000.00	22,000.00	17,000.00	274,000.00	M	J. W. Brown.....	60
Urbana.....	8,000	Community Club.....	1						960.00	600.00	1,560.00	P	J. C. Neer.....	61
Wellsville.....	9,000	Harmon Field Playground Association.....		1			2	301.41	43.40	180.00	524.81	M&P	Mrs. Charles Culp.....	62
Wooster.....	10,000	Board of Education.....	1	1	2			1,000.00	120.00	4,200.00	5,320.00	M	A. C. Maurer.....	63
		Playground Association.....	15	11	1			300.00	500.00	7,200.00	8,000.00	P	John H. Chase.....	64
		Park Department.....	13	9				50,000.00	54,000.00	6,000.00	110,000.00	M	L. Evans.....	65
Youngstown.....	172,000	Mill Creek Park Commissioners.....	9	2	1			155,596.00	18,946.00	4,363.00	178,905.00	M	Albert Davies.....	66
		Carnegie Steel Company.....	2	2									A. R. Mathieson.....	67



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Number of City	Playgrounds Under Leadership				Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Playgrounds	Indoor Community Centers		Community Houses		Play Streets		Swimming Pools		Bathing Beaches		Golf Courses		Summer Camps		Tennis Courts		Athletic Fields		Baseball Fields		Other Areas		Total No. of Different Play Areas
	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total		Number	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Community Centers	Number	Total Avg. Daily Att. of Participants All Com. H's	Number	Total Average Daily Attendance Participants	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total No. of Campers	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Number	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	
1			5	6	1,800																							6
2		13		13	400	4	150	1	25			1	3,700							9	1,000	1		5				31
3		1		1	300																							
4		4		4	250			1	110			1	250	1	325					6		5		10				7
5												1								6		1		4				5
6		1		3	1,500							1	2,500							6		1		3				
7		3		3								1	4,500									3	3,000	3	3,000			
8						2						1								3								
9					500							1								3		2		1				
10						1	450							5						3		1		1				7
11		1		2	800															3		3		3				
12		3		3		2		1				4	10,000							33		3		6				
13		13		13									29,654								9,000							
14		3			100							1	22,500							11		1						
15		2		2	450							2	400	2	500					4		250						
16		1		1	40									1	1,500					1		200	1	500	1	100		
17		3		3	300							1								10		6,000						
18			5	5	3,000	2						2	13,800							4		5		5				
19												1								2		1		1				
20		6		6	281															5		1						
21	1			1	100																							3
22		1		1	85																							
23		12		12								2								3		14		29	50,186			
24	10	16		26	12,993	8				10	1,388	22				2				39		50,470	16					
25		30		30	10,174	7	2,500					7		2		3	86,000			75				31		12		
26	3	47		50	20,877	28	2,100					2	6,500							5		1						
27																												
28																												
29	1			1	700		500			4	45								1									
30		6		6	531	11	600					2	33,500							10		2						
31		25		25	8,000	16	800	5	250							1	22,000			34		9		52				
32	2	17		19	7,500	10	200	3	380			1		1		2	87,861			52		14		27	1,719			
33																												
34	5			5																4		1		4				
35		1		1																								
36		1		1																								
37		3		3	100	3		1												4				2		1		
38	3	5	6	14	3,666	10	640													10		1		1				
39	4			4		1						1																
40	4	2		6	1,760									1	6,450			2		11		1		2				
41	4	6		6	2,000									1	500,000					5		1		3				
42	4	1		1	556																							
43	4	5		5	750							1	600															
44	4	1		1	125															3								
45	4	1		4																								
46	4	4		4	1,245																							
47	4	3		3	1,721																							
48	4			4	800							1	15,000															
49	4	4		4	1,235																							
50	5			5	1,000															5		1		1				
51	5			5	400	3	150					1												4		250		
52	1			1	25		30						600							2		250	1	250	1	36		
53		6		6	1,200											1				6		200	3	4				16
54	1			1	100															4		300	1	500				
55		2		2	300			1												2		2		2				
56		3		3	207							1		1								1		3				
57		21		21								1				1				24		5		12		2		
58		4		4	1,104							1										2		3				
59																												
60		16		16	6,204	37																						
61						1	60																					
62		1		1																								
63		3		3								2																
64		7		7																								
65		8		8	2,500							2	70,000			1	34,500			28		2		6		6		
66		1		1	530			1	6,767					1	67,713	1				8		18,280	1			150		
67		2		2	1,720	1																						

## PLAYGROUND AND COMMUNITY

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STATE AND CITY	Population	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers			Volunteer Workers		Expenditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	No. of City
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Permanent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incidentals	Salaries	Total			
OKLAHOMA														
Cherokee.....	2,600	City Playground Committee.....	1	1	2								J. W. Hill.....	1
Guthrie.....	15,000	School Board.....	1	1									John H. Mason.....	2
Muskogee.....	40,000	City of Muskogee.....											Charles W. Dawson.....	3
Oklahoma City.....	160,000	City and Board of Education.....	6	14			35,000.00	26,200.00	3,800.00	65,000.00	M	W. H. Emery.....	4	
Ponca.....	20,000	City of Ponca.....	2	1									C. M. Sarchet.....	5
Stillwater.....	7,000	Board of Education.....											Chester P. Davis.....	6
Tulsa.....	135,000	Park Department.....	4	3	1	25	8	600.00	350.00	2,650.00	3,600.00	M	Roy U. Lane.....	7
OREGON														
Ashland.....	6,000	Park Board.....		1									Faye Carver.....	8
Bend.....	10,000	Harmon Field Committee.....	1	1				633.74	29.79	732.50	1,396.03	M	G. W. Ager.....	9
Grants Pass.....	6,000	Park Board.....											E. H. Harbeck.....	10
Oregon City.....	7,000	School District.....		1					30.00	150.00	180.00	M	R. W. Kirk.....	11
Portland.....	354,000	Bureau of Parks, Playground Division.....	25	25	6			148,725.25	47,524.78	90,192.80	286,442.83	M	Katharine E. Funk.....	12
Salem.....	25,000	Playground Committee.....	2	2					120.50	600.00	720.50	P	R. R. Boardman.....	13
The Dalles.....	7,000	The Dalles Dip Committee.....											Don W. Yantis.....	14
PENNSYLVANIA														
Allentown.....	98,000	Board of Education and Recreation Commission.....	15	24					4,920.50	7,527.19	12,447.78	M	H. W. Dodd.....	15
Altoona.....	72,000	Department of Parks and Public Properties.....	4	15			5		2,500.00	2,500.00	5,000.00	M	Elizabeth K. Eyre.....	16
Ambridge.....	21,000	Playground Association.....	1	5							1,851.75	M	Mrs. Laura F. Sairs.....	17
Barnesboro.....	4,000	Public Playground Committee.....	1							500.00	500.00	M	Rev. S. S. Apin.....	18
Beaver Falls.....	15,000	School District.....		8				100.00	1,400.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	M	James L. Wasson.....	19
Bethlehem.....	66,000	School District.....	2	8	8			74.64	720.00	794.64	M	W. H. Weiss.....	20	
Brackenridge.....	4,000	Playground Association.....	1	4				100.00	516.00	616.00	M&P	Bertha Mae Weinel.....	21	
Bristol.....	10,273	Playground Association.....		6				500.00	57.54	660.00	1,217.54	P	Mary A. Wilkinson.....	22
Carbondale.....	20,000	Community Service.....	1	6		50	150		800.00	1,500.00	2,300.00	M&P	H. M. Bender.....	23
Carlisle.....	11,000	Playground Association.....	5	6					659.23	1,212.27	1,871.50	M&P	Frank Mantz.....	24
Chambersburg.....	15,000	Playground Committee, Board of Education and Chamber of Commerce.....	1	5	1				300.00	3,700.00	4,000.00	M&P	W. H. Hansen.....	25
Chester.....	70,000	Department of Parks and Public Property.....		22					500.00	2,617.00	3,117.00	M	Walter H. Craig.....	26
City Furnaces.....		Carnegie Steel Company.....		1									A. R. Mathieson.....	27
Clearfield.....	9,950	Community Service Committee of Y. M. C. A.....	2	4	2	11	8	400.00	235.90	900.00	1,535.90	P	Conrad S. Bock.....	28
Coatesville.....	15,000	Department of Parks and Playgrounds.....	6	7	1						6,735.00	M	Chester Ash.....	29
Conshohocken.....	10,000	Community Center.....	3	1	2			4,000.00	1,098.63	4,998.63	9,689.32	M&P	Ian Forbes.....	30
Corry.....	7,500	Parent Teacher Association and City Council.....		10					15.00	133.00	148.00	M	Virginia Hoenes.....	31
Crafton.....	8,000	Public Schools.....	1	1					200.00	500.00	700.00	M	M. B. Wenrich.....	32
DuBois.....	16,000	City Planning Commission.....	1	2				1,000.00	200.00	500.00	1,700.00	M&P	James J. Mack.....	33
Duquesne.....	20,000	Carnegie Steel Company.....	7	7									A. R. Mathieson.....	34
Easton.....	40,000	Department of Playgrounds.....	1	3		4	6				3,000.00	M	A. F. Heck.....	35
Edwardsville.....	10,000	Playground Association of Kingston Coal Company.....	4			6	6	600.00	500.00	1,200.00	2,300.00	P	Ethel Gibbons.....	36
Ellwood City.....	14,000	Playground Commission.....	3	6				400.00		1,325.00	1,725.00	M	Thelma Adams.....	37
Erie.....	125,000	Department of Parks and Public Property.....	2	1									W. D. Kinney.....	38
Etna.....	7,000	School District.....	19	9	1						6,000.00	M	Dr. D. G. Evans.....	39
Exeter.....	4,500	Carnegie Steel Company.....		1							8,000.00	M	A. R. Mathieson.....	40
Franklin.....	10,000	High School Playground Association.....	1	3	2	4	7						A. R. Mathieson.....	41
Franklin.....	10,000	Child Welfare Association City Council and School Board.....		4					10.00	600.00	610.00	M	Thomas McNeil.....	42
Gettysburg.....	5,500	School Board.....	1	1						1,000.00	1,000.00	M	C. E. Carter.....	43
Greencastle.....	2,500	Jerome R. King Playground Association.....						191.13	147.31	331.87	670.31	P	A. B. Plank.....	44
Greensburg.....	20,000	Playground Association.....	8	4									B. S. Whitmore.....	45
Greenville.....	12,000	Playground Association.....	2	2					1,450.00	1,050.00	2,500.00	M&P	A. W. Leeking.....	46
Grove City.....	6,500	Women's Civic Club.....	1	2							1,200.00	P	J. B. Stoebel.....	47
Hamburg.....	3,000	Playground Association.....		2					300.00	525.00	825.00	M&P	H. M. B. Lehn.....	48
Harrisburg.....	80,000	Department of Parks and Public Property.....	14	19					4,780.00	4,098.79	8,878.79	M	Catherine E. Geary.....	49
Hazleton.....	40,000	Recreation Commission.....		11				400.00	365.00	1,932.00	2,697.50	M	V. Grant Forrer.....	50
Homestead.....	25,000	Carnegie Steel Company.....	3	4									Helen H. Paul.....	51
Huntingdon.....	8,000	Playground Association.....	1	1							1,625.00	M&P	A. R. Mathieson.....	52
Jennett.....	18,000	Playground Association.....	4	1					150.00	1,000.00	1,150.00	M	E. R. Barelay.....	53
Johnstown.....	72,200	Municipal Recreation Commission.....	4	23	1				5,968.04	12,228.25	18,196.29	M	L. P. Jordan.....	54
Kennett Square.....	2,500	Playground Committee.....		2					22.03	100.00	122.03	P	Leo J. Buettner.....	55
Lancaster.....	60,000	Recreation and Playground Association.....	13	22	1		5						Herman Schmalts.....	56
Lansdale.....	8,000	Playground Association.....		1					350.00	150.00	500.00	M&P	Grant D. Brandon.....	57
Lansdowne.....	9,000	School Board.....	1										L. L. Reading.....	58
Lansford.....	12,000	Board of School Directors.....	2						350.00	510.00	860.00	M&P	George E. Mark.....	59
Latrobe.....	11,000	Women's Civic Club.....	1	3					100.00	700.00	800.00	P	E. M. Balsebaugh.....	60
Lebanon.....	30,000	Progressive Playground Association.....	1	1				500.00	325.00	675.00	1,500.00	M&P	Bruce E. Soekman.....	61
Lebanon.....	30,000	South 6th Street Playground Association.....		1				4,480.17	100.00	280.00	4,860.17	M&P	Emanuel Frank.....	62
Lebanon.....	30,000	Athletic Association.....	1	1				553.19	491.03	550.00	1,594.22	M&P	William H. Snyder.....	63
Lebanon.....	30,000	Athletic Association.....	1	1				553.19	491.03	550.00	1,594.22	M&P	Irving Walmar.....	63

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	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Playgrounds	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Community Centers	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Community Houses	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Play Streets	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Total Yearly or Seasonal Participation	Total No. of Different Play Areas
1	1	1	1	40					1,000							3
2					150				1,000	3,000		6	150	100		3
3																
4	11	11		1,100					22,667	1		6	6	6		15
5																
6																
7	5	2	8	1,500	1	4			3	1,100		22	60,000	3	720	
8		1	1	400												
9		2	2	75					3			4				
10									1	4,500		7	1			
11												2				
12	24	24		4,500		3	300		4	372,187		60	2	13	1,000	
13									1	15,200				2		
14																
15	22	22		33,042	1	45		1	607			18	200		2	2,055
16	10	10		6,000												
17	5	5							1			2	1	1		
18	1	1		480	1	40			1	7,250			1	125	400	3
19	3	3		250					1			4	1	1		
20	8	8		423					1	11,878		4	352	1	60	
21	2	2		200					2			2				4
22	3	3		230									1			
23	6	6		200										1		7
24	5	5		825								6	1			
25	1	4		724	3				1			3	1	5		
26	11	11		2,150												
27	1	1		300												
28	4	4		870	1	160			1	12,500		1	510	1	6	3,000
29	4	4		1,009					1	21,424		10	3	3		
30	1	1		173		1	160						1	15,250		
31	5	5		450												
32	1	1		100												
33	1	1		150												
34	4	4		2,820												
35	2	2		680					2	600	1	3	650	2		
36	4	4							3	10,000				2	2,000	
37				310					1	10,000				3	2,500	
38									1							
39	8	8			28	1			3	21,656	1	2	13	4		
40	1	1		300								27	3	7		
41	1	1			1											
42	4	4		120									1			
43	2	2		225	2				1			4	1	1		
44																
45	4	4		650					1	2,250		2		1		
46	1	1		200	1	80			1	6,000		2	500	1		
47	3	3		350												
48	1	1		437												
49	17	17		6,314												
50	9	9		1,867					2	90,000	1	5,000	22	32,000	1	
51	2	2		1,268	1							5		9		23
52	2	2		270					1			8	1	2		3
53	5	5				1										
54	21	21		4,550					1	26,763				6		
55	1	1		40												
56	14	14		3,500	1	800	1	1,000	2	2,500		33	2	2	29,000	16
57	1	1		168												
58	1	1														
59	1	1		90												
60	3	3		550								1	600	2	250	
61	1	1		400												
62	1	1		400												
63	1	1		450					1			4	1	3		



## PLAYGROUND AND COMMUNITY

Footnotes follow

STATE AND CITY	Population	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers			Volunteer Workers		Expenditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	No. of City
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Permanent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incidentals	Salaries	Total			
PENNSYLVANIA—Cont.														
Lehighton	7,000	Women's Civic Club		1					50.00	200.00	250.00	P	Elizabeth C. Wills	1
Look Haven	8,000	Playground Association of Civic Club		4						700.00	700.00	M	Mrs. William T. Betts	2
McKeesport	55,000	Department of Parks and Playgrounds		17				2,500.00	675.88	2,465.00	5,640.88	M&P	John Alderin	3
Marcus Hook	6,000	Century Club		2					50.00	200.00	250.00	M	Mrs. Helen Egan	4
Marietta	1,800	Playground Association	1	1				250.00		125.00	375.00	P	V. Steinburg	5
Mauch Chunk and East Mauch Chunk	8,000	Playground Committee of Interborough Women's Club		3					55.00	409.00	455.00	P	Laura L. Ruddle	6
Meadville	15,000	Playground Association	3	4					399.92	953.13	1,353.05	M&P	Ruth Kennedy	7
Mechanicsburg	5,000	Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Park	1	1					2,000.00	550.00	2,550.00	M&P	John Robertson	8
Milton	9,000	Playground Association	4		1								John B. Van Why	9
Monessen	28,000	Public Schools		6						720.00	720.00	M	C. R. McClelland	10
Monongahela	12,000	Recreation Board		2						750.00	1,000.00	M	Mrs. Carl Gibson	11
Mount Carmel	20,000	Playground Committee of Kiwanis Club	1	1					25.00	200.00	225.00	P	James Curns	12
Munhall	9,000	Carnegie Steel Company	1										A. R. Mathieson	13
Nanticoke	25,000	School Board		2						625.00	625.00	M	A. R. Diffendaefer	14
New Castle	52,000	Recreation Board		2					1768.00	1,561.00	3,330.00	M	W. V. Tyler	15
New Kensington	16,000	Carnegie Steel Company		2									A. R. Mathieson	16
		School District	1	1					180.52	690.00	860.52	M	Elizabeth Morgan	17
		Board of Education	1	4							1,200.00	M	August Wucherer	18
Norristown	35,000	Playground Committee of B. P. O. Elks	1						175.00	225.00	400.00	P	Earl C. Wentz	19
North Braddock	28,000	Playground Committee of Board of Education		14					150.00	1,250.00	1,400.00	M	Carolyn Johnson	20
Oakmont	5,500	The Woman's Club		1					43.15	187.50	230.65	P	Mrs. Bertie E. S. Taylor	21
Oil City	20,000	Public Recreation Board		2				1,000.00	1,000.00	1,500.00	3,500.00	M&P	H. W. Papenfus	22
Palmerston	8,200	Neighborhood House	2	10	23	36							Mrs. Alice H. Flynn	23
Perkasie	3,500	Playground Association	1	1				6,000.00	1,200.00	1,000.00	8,200.00	M&P	John W. Sprengle	24
		Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Welfare	93	134	137			124,276.27	36,074.57	200,420.00	360,770.84	M	Gertrude MacDougall	25
		Division of Physical and Health Education, Board of Public Education	92	239					9,415.80	65,154.28	74,570.08	M&S	John C. Kieffer	26
		Playground Association	4	8					1,003.05	4,774.79	5,777.84	P	Henrietta P. Burnham	27
		Smith Memorial Playgrounds	23	17	40			200,000.00	23,735.33	38,626.69	262,362.02	P	Mrs. P. H. Valentine	28
Phoenixville	12,000	Recreation Commission	3	6	1				1,666.92	3,362.75	5,029.67	M&P	H. K. Willett	29
Pittsburgh	631,563	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Works	79	69	39	8	12		37,390.00	158,530.00	195,920.00	M&P	W. C. Batchelor	30
Pittsburgh, North Side		Playground and Vacation School Association of Allegheny, Inc.	33	130	15	30	35		11,625.00	29,980.00	40,605.00	M&P	Mrs. John Cowley	31
Pottstown	19,000	Board of Education and Playground Association		4			6		300.00	500.00	800.00	M&P	Mrs. H. A. Shellenberger	32
Pottsville	25,000	Playground Association	1	1		1			362.85	423.50	786.35	P	John F. Murray	33
Reading	112,000	Department of Recreation	19	36	4			3,933.97	11,135.34	20,031.93	35,101.24	M&P	E. A. Pritchard	34
Renova	6,000	P. R. R. Y. M. C. A.	1						72.96	187.50	260.46	P	S. L. Williams	35
Rochester	8,500	Board of Education	2			3							Denton M. Albright	36
St. Mary's	6,427	Junior Welfare Committee	3	2	4				99.88	1,687.82	1,787.70	P	Henry J. Brook	37
Scranton	155,000	Municipal Bureau of Recreation	39	46	14	250	50	10,400.00	12,000.00	46,000.00	68,400.00	M	R. C. Carnes	38
Shamokin	22,000	Board of Education	2					6,500.00	20.00	480.00	7,000.00	M	B. Frank Startzel	39
Sharon	50,000	Shenango Valley Playground Association	12	11					400.00	3,000.00	3,400.00	P	David Rees	40
Souderton	3,550	Playground Association	1			2		6,000.00	50.00	330.00	6,380.00	P	James S. De Piano	41
Spring Grove	1,200	Recreation Association		1		6	6			375.00	375.00	M&P	E. F. Troop	42
Steelton	15,000	Parks and Playgrounds Commission	3	9					220.67	1,462.19	1,682.86	M&P	H. R. Rupp	43
Sunbury	15,000	Playground Committee of Parent Teacher Association		4					250.00	600.00	850.00	P	Mrs. H. T. Keiser	44
Swissvale	22,000	Child Conservation League	2	2			2	237.31	75.00	726.00	1,038.31	M&P	Mrs. Earl F. Smith	45
Towanda	4,500	City of Towanda											H. C. Wagner	46
Verona	4,200	Hyatt M. Cribbs, Jr., Athletic Field Committee	1						500.00	500.00	1,000.00	M	Ralph H. Smith	47
Washington	25,000	Recreation Board	1	15					1,060.00	1,440.00	2,500.00	M	Elizabeth C. Day	48
Waynesburg	5,000	Parent Teacher Association	1								250.00	M&P	Mrs. Wayne A. Scott	49
West Chester	12,000	Recreation Department of Civic Association	10	7	1	2				2,740.00	2,740.00	M&P	Dorothy J. Bell	50
Wilkes Barre and Wyoming Valley	250,000	Playground and Recreation Association of Wyoming Valley	50	56	3	48	57	13,000.00	15,300.00	30,000.00	58,300.00	M&P	Arthur H. Miller	51
Wilkesburg	30,000	Playground and Park Association	1	6			3		784.97	1,329.50	2,114.47	M	Mrs. Adah M. Merrifield	52
Williamsport	50,000	Department of Parks and Public Property	2	19					3,430.51	2,177.50	5,608.01	M	G. W. R. Fleming	53
Wilmerding	8,000	Playground Committee	2	2				3,600.00	590.00	1,410.00	5,600.00	M&P	S. H. Stevens	54
Woodlawn	23,000	Recreation Council	4	8			2	83.22	1,074.19	3,085.03	4,242.44	M	Dora E. Dodge	55
York	65,000	Department of Recreation	12	32	2	50			2,209.51	6,822.62	9,032.13	M	Ruth Swezey	56
RHODE ISLAND														
Barrington	4,000	Maple Avenue Community House		2	2			9,000.00	702.48	1,813.15	2,515.63	P	Mrs. Charles E. Blake	57
Bristol	12,000	Recreation Board	5	2						1,436.89	2,365.55	M	George J. O'Brien	58
Central Falls	25,000	Board of Recreation	3	9				1,726.00	452.00	2,822.00	5,000.00	M	Mrs. J. W. Freeman	59
Newport	30,000	Board of Recreation Commissioners	5	12	3		2	1,139.83	8,280.97	7,581.23	17,002.04	M&P	Arthur Leland	60
Providence	275,000	Board of Recreation	50	75	18			9,156.58	5,195.44	29,482.43	43,834.45	M	Joseph J. McCaffrey	61
Westerly	12,000	School Committee	1	1				166.02		441.83	607.85	M	W. H. Bacon	62
Woonsocket	51,000	Park and Playground Department	12	13	1			10,000.00	6,475.00	13,750.00	30,225.00	M	Mildred A. Foulds	63



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1	1	1	1	150																					
2	4	4	4														3								
3	8	8	8							88,575															
4	12	12	12	150			1	30	4	50	1						3		3		3		1		
5	1	1	1	50													1				1				
6	12	12	12	120																					
7	3	3	3	775																					
8	1	1	1														2		2		1		1		
9	5	6	6	130	2	350					2	8,500			3	115		2	2,500	2	2,500				3
10	3	3	3	510						1	250														
11	2	2	2	226													1		1		1				
12	1	1	1	300						1									1		2				
13	1	1	1	712																					
14	1	1	1	225																					
15	5	5	5	1,200																					
16	1	1	1	1,400																					
17	12	12	12	1,000						1	200														
18	3	3	3	600						1					3		3		2		8				
19	1	1	1	125																					
20	3	3	3																						
21	1	1	1	116																					
22	6	6	6	740													4	2,000	1		2	4,500			
23	2	3	5	1,000	1	100	1	300							1	300	2				1				
24	1	1	1	150													6	200							
25	38	4	42	22,796	19					38	3,375,835	2					22		34		30				
26	90	50	140	8,492																					
27	4	4	4	856																					
28	3	3	3				3														1				
29	4	4	4	496													2								
30	7	33	40	17,654	8	3,728				10	15		1				26		52						
31	13	28	41		25					4									9						41
32	4	4	4				3			1							5		1		3				
33	2	2	2	334						1							4	4,800							
34	16	5	21	3,041	1	391		37	421				1	256		3	5,718	2	1,652	11	1,000				76
35	1	1	1	171													2	2,000							
36	2	2	2	340																					
37	2	2	2							4															
38	4	19	23		13		2			40,085					1	117					13	15,000			63
39	2	2	2	150						1					1	120	4	3,845	3		2				
40	11	11	11	3,000																					
41	2	2	2	500																					
42	1	1	1	50																					
43	6	6	6	955				3		1	1,500						7		2		2				21
44	4	4	4	300								1							1		1				
45	2	2	2	250													1		1		1				
46													1	150											
47	1	1	1	100													1	2,250	1	2,000	1	2,000			8
48	7	7	7	390																					
49					1																				
50	4	4	4	275						1		1	17,000						2	800	2	800			
51	55	55	55	19,964								1	3,000	1	8,000		14	10,000	8		16				
52	3	3	3	200																					
53	10	10	10	2,430																					
54	4	4	4	592													1		1		1		1		
55	5	5	5																						
56	7	7	7	5,250	7	350		4	300	1					1		18	3,400	2		12	15,000			
57	1	1	1				1					2													
58	2	2	2	425							1										1				
59	5	5	5																						
60	5	5	5		1		2				1	2,255					7	5,985	4		4				12
61	7	22	29	10,223	2					3							27		24		24				
62	1	1	1	340																					
63	9	9	9		4					2	15,000						2		1		1				

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SOUTH CAROLINA														
Beaufort.....	3,500	Community Club.....		1	1	3	12	65.00	15.00	420.00	500.00	P	Mrs. H. L. Morrall.....	1
Charleston.....	80,189	Playground Department of Board of Parks and Playgrounds.....	4	8	11	4	4	35,500.00	2,705.00	6,520.00	44,725.00	M&P	Corrinne V. Jones.....	2
Columbia.....	55,000	Playground and Recreation Department.....	7	11	11	5	8		2,500.00	8,500.00	11,000.00	M&P	Adele J. Minahan.....	3
Florence.....	17,608	Park Commission.....									2,000.00	M	W. A. Parker.....	4
Greenville.....	40,000	Playground Commission.....		7	7				833.33	3,000.00	3,833.33	M&P	Mrs. M. P. Gridley.....	5
Orangeburg.....	10,000	Phillis Wheatley Association.....		1	1								Mrs. Hattie Duckett.....	6
Rock Hill.....	5,000	Playground Commission.....		4				59.75	35.40	2,139.00	2,234.15	M	Mary Jo Wise.....	7
Spartanburg.....	30,000	American Legion.....							500.00	1,000.00	1,500.00	P	W. A. Parker.....	8
Sumter.....	12,500	Recreation Committee of Woman's Club.....		10	10		15				5,000.00	M&P	Mrs. Samuel N. Burts.....	9
		Trees and Parks Department and Civic League.....	2	3	3				750.00	2,250.00	3,000.00	M&P	Miss C. Delorme.....	10
SOUTH DAKOTA														
Mitchell.....	10,000	Park Board.....	1		1							M	W. E. Webb.....	11
Pierre.....	3,560	Board of Education.....									375.00	M	R. E. Rawlins.....	12
Yankton.....	6,000	School and Park Boards.....	1										Oscar Gennrich.....	13
TENNESSEE														
Chattanooga.....	141,000	Department of Public Utilities.....	1	26						6,000.00	6,000.00	M	Clardell Findell.....	14
Elizabethton.....	8,500	City of Elizabethton.....						500.00			500.00	M	E. H. Lingenfelt.....	15
Knoxville.....	102,000	Bureau of Recreation, Department of Public Welfare.....	5	13	9	5	10	3,500.00	2,728.50	9,800.00	16,028.50	M&P	Nathan L. Mallinson.....	16
Memphis.....	262,000	Recreation Department of Park Commissioners.....	23	60	37						70,000.00	M	Minnie M. Wagner.....	17
Nashville.....	175,000	Board of Park Commissioners.....	9	23	2	18	30	43,913.63	10,797.06	16,248.52	70,959.21	M	Ewell M. Castello.....	18
Old Hickory.....	8,000	Recreation Department of Du Pont Rayon Company.....	1	2	3								Addie I. Fuller.....	19
TEXAS														
Austin.....	50,000	Playground and Recreation Committee of Lions Club.....											Horace Barnhart.....	20
Beaumont.....	65,000	City of Beaumont.....	2	6	1	4	12				3,531.29	M	Frank L. Bertschler.....	21
Corpus Christi.....	40,000	City, Street and Park Department.....											W. J. Smith.....	22
Dallas.....	290,000	Park and Recreation Department.....	26	52	32	30	40						W. F. Jacoby.....	23
Eastland.....	7,000	Department of Parks.....											W. E. Dakan.....	24
El Paso.....	100,000	School Board and City Council.....	8	15									Mabel Kinney.....	25
Fort Worth.....	191,000	Public Recreation Board.....	50	25	12	25	25				130,000.00	M	R. D. Evans.....	26
		Playground Association.....		3	3	4	8	1,555.78	2,273.34	18,113.00	21,942.12	M&P	Nell Miller.....	27
Galveston.....	60,000	Educational and Recreational Association.....				10	15		2,000.00		2,000.00	P	Mrs. F. W. Hoecker.....	28
Houston.....	265,000	Recreation and Community Service.....	8	44	28				11,918.10	29,332.68	41,322.68	M&P	Corinne Fonde.....	29
Laredo.....	33,000	Rotary Club.....	1		1	12	3		6,625.00	2,400.00	9,025.00	P	Edward L. Roberson.....	30
Marlin.....	6,000	Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.....				25	10						George S. Buchanan.....	31
Mission.....	5,000	Public Schools.....	2	1						3,000.00	3,000.00	M	S. L. Hardin.....	32
Plainview.....	7,500	Playground Association.....	1			4	3				1,000.00	P	W. J. Klingler.....	33
Port Arthur.....	52,000	City of Port Arthur.....						2,100.00			2,100.00	M&P	W. J. Gray.....	34
San Antonio.....	260,000	Municipal Playground Department and Lions Club.....	4	3	7			117,000.00	2,000.00	11,600.00	130,600.00	M&P	J. W. Hansard.....	35
Waco.....	60,000	Recreation Commission.....	4	5	4	13	12		2,552.68	6,323.00	8,875.68	M	R. C. Oliver.....	36
Wichita Falls.....	65,000	Recreation Department.....	1	6									C. C. Bunnenberg.....	37
UTAH														
Salt Lake City.....	132,000	Recreation Department.....	12	17	3	5	25	16,500.00	108,997.00	24,169.00	149,666.00	M	Charlotte Stewart.....	38
VERMONT														
Bellows Falls.....	7,000	Village Corporation.....		1						250.00	950.00	M	Dr. E. W. Robinson.....	39
Bennington.....	10,000	Welfare Association.....	1	1					250.00	400.00	650.00	M&P	Agnes Whipple.....	40
Brattleboro.....	9,000	Recreational Department.....	2	5	2			300.00	337.00	2,688.00	3,325.00	M	Claude N. Beasley.....	41
Burlington.....	26,000	Park Commission.....	3	7							1,500.00	M	George P. Burns.....	42
Lyndonville.....	1,500	Powers Park Association.....		1									Blanche M. Conner.....	43
Montpelier.....	7,500	Chamber of Commerce Committee.....	1	2									L. E. Merrow.....	44
Proctor.....	3,000	Village Improvement Council.....							170.00	300.00	470.00	P	S. Westin.....	45
Putney.....	700	Community Center, Inc.....		1	1			1,500.00	1,200.00	1,440.00	4,140.00	P	Carrie A. Hoag.....	46
Randolph.....	2,000	Randolph Branch American Red Cross.....	1	2					168.02	438.16	606.18	P	Bertha Salisbury.....	47
Richford.....	2,850	Board of Education.....											E. F. Greene.....	48
Rutland.....	18,000	Playground Association.....	3	5							8,600.00	M&P	Mrs. Samuel Frank.....	49
Springfield.....	7,000	Mead Community House.....	1	3		3	21		5,120.82	1,468.75	6,589.57	P	Louise Paige.....	50
Woodstock.....	2,300	Recreation Commission.....	3	3	5				6,000.00	7,200.00	13,200.00	M&P	W. W. Waters.....	51
		Improvement Society.....		1			2			150.00	150.00	P	H. B. Chapman.....	52
VIRGINIA														
Alexandria.....	20,000	Playground Association.....	4	2				500.00	600.00	2,500.00	3,600.00	M	Paul Gorton.....	53
Clifton Forge.....	6,500	Board of Parks and Recreation.....	1	2					723.77	747.50	1,471.27	M&P	W. Lewis.....	54
Danville.....	25,000	Playground and Recreation Association.....	3	4				182.72	221.46	1,299.60	1,703.78	M&P	Mrs. E. B. Wood.....	55
Hampton.....	4,500	Colored Community Center, Inc.....		1		2	2		62.00	150.00	212.00	P	E. H. Hamilton.....	56
Lynchburg.....	39,600	Municipal Department of Recreation and Playgrounds.....	5	10	11	3	6	900.00	11,497.00	6,653.00	19,050.00	M	Mrs. R. F. Munday.....	57
Norfolk.....	182,000	Department of Public Playgrounds.....	3	13	1			2,010.00	1,403.00	6,798.60	10,211.60	M&P	Katherine Cahill.....	58

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1	1	3	4					1						1	24,000	1	1,000			1	50			2	500			
2	4		4	1,378																11	18,720	1	1,500	1	380			
3	9	5	14		1	4				1	25,027	2						1		12	4		5					
4	7		7	6,000		1	600			1	127									3			1					
5	1	1	1	231		1				1	280									1	131							
6	7	4	4			25	1	35		1	7,500									2			2					
7	9	9	9	815						1										6		2		1				
8	3	10	13	685	8	8		7		2																		
9					5	1				1	6,750					1				5		1		1				10
10	1		1							1										3		2						
11	24		24	2,000						1	29,284					1	23,516			18	65,000	2		7	6,500			
12														1	15,000								1	420				2
13	6	6	12	1,500																8			3					
14	15	4	19		23	5				2	76,146					3	184,999			24	73,994	3		7				
15	6	11	17		6	7				2						1				23		6	14					
16	1		1	150	1	75	1			1	3,600									4	1,000	1	1,000	1	1,000			
17																												
18																												
19																												
20																												
21		5	5	300				1	25	1	2,500	1	2,500	1	10,000	2	2,000	3	1,800	1	1,000							
22																												
23	16	19	35					3		3	118,766									47	4,000	3		30	30,000	18	162,000	38
24																				1		1		1				
25		15	15					3												7		2		2				
26	9	5	14	20,000	2	60	2	300		4	118,640					1	61,048	6		22	1,500	3	1,000	41	20,000			
27	3		3	600		2	60			1	7,500									6	200,000			1	2,400			
28					2	500																						
29	10	10	20	1,288	5	384				5	11,500					1	74,418			18	34,733			15	15,246			60
30	6		6	1,500	2	500				2										5		1		2				
31					1	50																						
32	6		6							1				1	3,000	2	5,000			8	150	1	200	1				12
33																				2	100	5	1,500	3	500			
34	1	2	3	200						1	20,000			1	9,000					4		1		1				
35	6		6	2,500	2			3		7	500,000					1	75,000			24	150,000	9	18,000	12	60,000			18
36	6		2	132	11			1	50	1						1	7,300	2	100	6	8,000	3	10,080	5	16,000			
37	8		8					1								1	12,500			12	8,500			2	3,320			
38	15		15	4,330	3					8	100,000					1				13		20		10				
39	1		1	100																2		1		1				
40																				1				1				
41	4		4	250	1	125	1	125												1	825	1	2,500	1	2,500			
42	5		5	919																1		1		5				
43	1		1																									
44	1		1	960						1	11,471																	
45																												
46	1		1					1																1				
47	1		1	250	2					1				1		1	2,300			2		1		1	54			4
48	1		1		1															1		1		1				
49	3		3	410						1										1		1						
50																				1								
51	5		5	150				1						2						3		2		6				
52	1		1	35						1	100									2	50							
53	4		4	200	1	350				1	20,180																	
54	1		1							1										3		1		1				
55	3		3	536																3		1		1				
56	1		1	75				1	25											1	35							
57	8	1	9		4			2		3	37,524									7		4						
58	9		9							1	11,128	2		2	65,400					11	3,556	3	2,000	3	260			



## PLAYGROUND AND COMMUNITY

Footnotes follow

STATE AND CITY	Popula- tion	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers			Volun- teer Workers		Ex penditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	No. of City
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Perma- nent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incen- dentials	Salaries	Total			
VIRGINIA—Cont.														
Richmond	200,000	Municipal Recreation Depart- ment— Community Recreation Asso- ciation	12	38	1			\$2,000.00	6,162.00	18,585.00	26,747.00	M	Mrs. Lilly T. Phillips	1
Roanoke	65,000	Playground and Recreation Asso- ciation	1	11	2								Claire McCarthy	2
Staunton	12,000	Y. M. C. A.	1	8				1,300.00	793.55	1,350.00	3,443.55	M&P	S. E. McMillen	3
Winchester	12,000	Playground Association	2	2				750.00	1,175.00	700.00	1,875.00	P	Thomas W. Dixon	4
									100.00	795.00	1,645.00		Otis Sargent	5
WASHINGTON														
Aberdeen	25,000	Playfield Committee				3	4		600.00		1,515.00	M	Mrs. George McFarland	6
Ellensburg	5,000	Municipal Park Board											A. W. Crimp	7
Seattle	450,000	Board of Park Commissioners	32	24	14	4	4	39,115.86	29,920.47	120,394.08	189,430.41	M	Ben Evans	8
Spokane	130,000	Board of Park Commissioners	35	12	1				7,230.00	46,100.50	53,330.50	M	Benjamin A. Clark	9
Tacoma	120,000	Department of Playground and Recreation, Metropolitan Park District	13	9			12	7,583.00	4,924.00	10,851.00	23,358.00	M	Walter F. Hansen	10
Walla Walla	18,000	Park and Civic Arts Club		4		3	20				17,000.00	M	Mrs. Joseph G. Cutler	11
WEST VIRGINIA														
Beckley	7,500	American Legion Raleigh Co. Post No. 32	2					1,500.00	100.00	612.50	2,212.50	P	Eugene F. Yager	12
Charleston	50,000	Playground and Recreation Com- mittee	7	6					200.00	730.00	930.00	P	E. S. Tisdale	13
Clarksburg	37,000	Playground Department	11	10				9,770.00	1,835.00	3,340.00	14,945.00	M	Clay B. Hite	14
Fairmont	25,000	Board of Education	1	10							1,245.00	M	Otis C. Wilson	15
Martinsburg	14,000	Hoope Street Good Neighbors		4							220.00	P	Elizabeth Townsend	16
Morgantown	30,000	Department of Recreation of In- dependent School District	7	13	2	1	1				8,746.90	M	Elizabeth G. Engle	17
Parkeburg	50,000	Board of Recreation	9	9	1			50.00	800.00	3,328.00	4,178.00	M&P	Fanny J. Marvin	18
St. Marys	2,000	Woman's Club					1						Julia Schauwecker	19
Wheeling	96,000	Public Board of Recreation	17	29	1			28,842.80	6,732.69	13,296.11	48,871.60	M	S. A. Heatherly	20
WISCONSIN														
Appleton	20,000	Playground Commission	6	5					250.00	1,000.00	1,250.00	M	Joe Shields	21
Beloit	25,000	Park Department	2	2					100.00	620.00	720.00	M	R. H. Petrosik	22
Eau Claire	24,000	Recreation Committee	2	2					300.00	900.00	1,200.00	M	A. T. Sands	23
Fond du Lac	28,500	Board of Recreation	5	4	1						3,652.00	M&P	F. G. Kiesler	24
Green Bay	35,000	Board of Park Commissioners	3	4					200.00	1,000.00	1,200.00	M	M. G. Simonds	25
Janesville	22,500	City of Janesville	8	5				600.00	200.08	2,174.00	2,974.08	M	Kenneth F. Bick	26
Jefferson	2,600	Board of Education											Earl C. MacInnis	27
Kenosha	56,125	Department of Public Recreation	33	49	1	70	40	100.00	4,252.72	9,550.00	13,902.72	M	Chester H. Smith	28
La Crosse	3,100	Board of Education	5	4									L. R. Finley	29
Madison	54,000	Department of Recreation of Public Schools	14	15	1	4	2				8,963.00	M	Harry C. Thompson	30
Manitowac	23,150	Board of Education	2	1							1,019.17	M	W. L. Johnson	31
Menasha	7,200	Park and Recreation Commission	2	1		8	3	63,000.00	10,500.00	1,500.00	75,000.00	M	Roy G. Ducharme	32
Milwaukee	525,000	Extension Department, Public Schools	543	411	23					235,309.85	235,309.85	M	Dorothy C. Enderis	33
Mineral Point	2,600	Municipal Playground Commit- tee	1								1,500.00	M	L. E. Bear	34
Neenah	7,200	Red Cross											George T. Christoph	35
Oshkosh	43,000	Recreation Department, Board of Education	62	17	2				3,875.00	14,000.00	17,875.00	M	Frank F. Berg	36
Port Washington	3,600	City Plan Commission	1					15,000.00	100.00	250.00	15,350.00	M	S. R. DeMerit	37
Racine	72,000	Department of Recreation Board of Park Commissioners	10	12			30		1,600.00	5,322.00	6,922.00	M	B. A. Solbraa	38
Rhineland	8,000	School Board	3	1									J. W. Browning	39
Sheboygan	40,000	Board of Education	10	8	1				1,365.88	4,449.75	5,815.43	M	E. D. Antoniu	40
South Milwaukee	9,561	Board of Education	2	2				185.00	100.00	1,000.00	1,285.00	M	W. G. Glasbrenner	41
Sturgeon Bay	4,500	Playground Committee		2			1			175.00	175.00	P	G. D. Yeakum	42
Two Rivers	10,000	Board of Recreation	4	2					2,000.00	6,000.00	8,000.00	M&P	Arthur P. Eckley	43
Watertown	10,000	School Board	1	1					139.69	382.00	521.69	P	Margaret A. Stewart	44
Waukesha	16,000	Municipal Playground Commit- tee	1	1							2,000.00	M	Lawrence L. Bray	45
Wisconsin Rapids	8,000	American Legion	2	1	1								J. A. Torresani	46
WYOMING														
Riverton	2,000	City of Riverton											Mrs. E. H. Steffy	47
Thermopolis	2,000	Women's Club								225.00	225.00	M&P	H. P. Vogt	48
CANADA														
ALBERTA														
Calgary	70,000	Park Department		7						980.00	1,300.00	M	William R. Reader	49
Edmonton	67,000	City of Edmonton	4	1									A. W. Haddon	50
BRITISH COLUMBIA														
New Westminster	18,000	Parks Board	1	1									R. W. Smith	51
Vancouver	150,000	Board of Park Commissioners	8	14			1		3,650.00	6,350.00	10,000.00	M	W. S. Rawlings	52
MANITOBA														
Brandon	17,500	Kinsmen's Club	2	2					869.00	448.00	1,317.00	M&P	G. R. Rowe	53



# RECREATION STATISTICS FOR 1927

the table

Number of City	Playgrounds Under Leadership				Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Playgrounds	Indoor Community Centers		Community Houses	Total Avg. Daily Att. of Participants All Community Centers	Total Average Daily Attendance Participants	Swimming Pools	Bathing Beaches	Golf Courses	Summer Camps	Tennis Courts	Athletic Fields	Baseball Fields	Other Areas	Total No. of Different Play Areas						
	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total		Number	Total Average Daily Attendance of Participants All Community Centers	Number												Total Avg. Daily Att. of Participants All Community Centers	Number	Total Average Daily Attendance Participants			
1	15	15			8						1				25	4	23								
2	13	13			500	1	50																		
3	8	8			1,750										10	3,500	4								
4	3	3			235	1		1	100		1	10,858	1	1,500	1	11	6	2,000	1	1,750	6				
5	3	3			350							1,400													
6	3	3			280						2				4	2	2								
7	1	1									1														
8	12	1	23	36	21,600	5	2,250				2	10	878,004	2	178,863	1	90	21	21	1					
9	9	9			7,807						3	276,975	1	50,000	1	39	39	1	14						
10	1	14		15	1,925	8					2	7,086	2	19,851		5	9,000								
11	2			2	130	3					2		1		7	3	4			20					
12	1	1			400																				
13	6	6			506										1										
14	10	10			2,244						1				3		3	2							
15	5	5			1,000																				
16	4	4			252											1									
17	13	13			1,315	2	35	1																	
18	7	7			1,035	5	200										2	330		15					
19	1	1													6										
20	20	20			2,358	4	375				1	1,312				5									
21	5	5									2														
22	4	4			900					2			1		12		3	1							
23	2	2									2														
24	1	10	12			2																			
25	4	4			464						2		1		9		5	4							
26	5	5			850								1	45,000		5	2								
27	1	1									2		2	16,172	1	19,000		4							
28	7	6	15		1,892	7	1,580									5	1,500	2							
29	4	4									1	16,964	1	45,038	1	42,500		4	2						
30	11	11			2,345	6	150						3	31,071	1	35,832		1	18,000	1	600				
31	3	3			120								2			12		2	3						
32	3	3			450						1	3,500	3	7,500		2	1,100		1	1,050	7				
33	22	10		32		15		2			7	655,355	2	110,572	2	111,103	1	123,667	66	153,779	3	40,300	8	110,325	
34	1	1																							
35											1				1		1								
36	8	8			800	6	451						3												
37	1	1																							
38	7	7			1,400	8	1,500	3																	
39	5	5			850			1					1	15,000	2	62,000		8	12,648	1		4	6,300		
40	7	7			1,700	2	923				1	15,523			1		3	1	1						
41	2	2			490																				
42	2	2			60																				
43	3	3			150						1	1,000	2	3,000											
44	1	1			129										1	100	7		2						
45	2	2			200																				
46	1	1			50	2	200				1	15,000			1	2,000	2	5	2,000	1	2,500	3	140	2,500	
47																									
48	1	1			492						1		1												
49	7	7			1,113																				
50	3	3			1,000						3	126,587			1	52,500	1		1	2					
51	1	1			300																				
52	6	6																							
53	2	2			300																				

## PLAYGROUND AND COMMUNITY

Footnotes follow

STATE AND CITY	Popula- tion	Managing Authority	Paid Workers Exclusive of Caretakers			Volun- teer Workers		Expenditures Last Fiscal Year				Source of Financial Support	Source of Information	No. of City
			No. of Men	No. of Women	No. Employed Year Round	No. of Men	No. of Women	Land, Buildings, Perma- nent Equipment	Upkeep, Supplies and Incen- dentials	Salaries	Total			
NOVA SCOTIA														
Halifax.....	50,000	Playground Commission.....	7	9	.....	12	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	M	W. E. Stirling.....	1
Sydney.....	27,000	Playgrounds Association.....	1	1	.....	2	1	25.00	28.75	270.00	323.75	M&P	Norman D. Morrison.....	2
ONTARIO														
Hamilton.....	225,000	Playgrounds Association.....	23	22	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,040.00	M	J. J. Syme.....	3
Kitchener.....	27,000	School Board.....	5	3	.....	.....	14	.....	1,000.00	1,400.00	2,400.00	M&P	Harold Ballantyne.....	4
London.....	66,000	Public Utilities Commission.....	20	21	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27,000.00	M	Gerald N. Goodman.....	5
Ottawa.....	127,000	Playgrounds Committee.....	73	21	9	.....	.....	1,347.60	21,798.00	29,929.95	53,075.53	M	Vincent F. Courtemanche.....	6
Toronto.....	650,000	Parks Department.....	219	218	31	.....	.....	58,598.80	102,177.35	160,776.18	321,572.23	M	S. A. Armstrong.....	7
Windsor.....	65,000	Board of Education.....	15	13	.....	.....	.....	400.00	.....	3,600.00	4,000.00	M	P. A. McCallum.....	8
QUEBEC														
Montreal.....	1,000,000	Department of Public Recrea- tion.....	67	14	63	.....	.....	.....	34,445.35	44,909.12	79,354.47	M	Dr. J. P. Gadbois.....	9
Quebec.....	130,000	Parks and Playgrounds Asso- ciation.....	15	16	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	M	Dr. A. S. Lamb.....	10
Quebec.....	130,000	Playgrounds Committee.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	846.04	1,563.98	2,410.02	M&P	J. B. O'Regan.....	11
SASKATCHEWAN														
Moose Jaw.....	22,000	Recreation Committee.....	4	3	1	20	15	.....	500.00	1,255.00	1,755.00	M&P	J. Robinson.....	12
Regina.....	42,000	Playground and Park Commis- sioners.....	7	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,738.00	M	William J. Bailey.....	13

† Under Sources of Financial Support M—Municipal Funds; P—Private Funds; S—State Funds, and C—County Funds.

\* The Community Service program in this city is one of organized activities not centralized. A year round director with the aid of trained volunteers recruited from community groups and agencies aims to develop the recreational resources of the city through a varied program including the organization of games and athletics, community choruses, county play days and training classes for volunteer leaders.

\*\* The Recreation Commission of Westchester County, New York, aids the smaller towns and villages in increasing recreation opportunities for their citizens. The program of activities includes the organization of playgrounds and community centers, dramatic groups, recreation clubs for boys and girls and adults, community choruses, county play days and training classes for volunteer leaders.

(1) In addition to the two workers reported in the table for Sacramento an adequate staff is employed for the administration of the program, but the full number of workers is not reported.

I believe heartily in the vital work of the PLAYGROUND AND RECREATION ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA and want to do my part in helping to assure its continuance. To this end I am happy to contribute the sum of \$....., payable....., 192...

(Signed).....

(Address).....

# RECREATION STATISTICS FOR 1927

the table

Number of City	Playgrounds Under Leadership				Indoor Community Centers	Community Houses	Play Streets	Swimming Pools	Bathing Beaches	Golf Courses	Summer Camps	Tennis Courts	Athletic Fields	Baseball Fields	Other Areas	Total No. of Different Play Areas
	No. Open Year Round	No. Open Summer Only	No. Open School Year	Total												
1	3	3	3	1,016				2	1,038					4		
2	12	12	12	342		1	250						1	100	90	
3	11	11	11	5,354	2	3			2	1	1	27	6	15	37	
4	4	4	4	1,025				1	3,679					1	60	
5	12	12	12	3,000	5	1	250	1	40,000	2		8	20,000	4		20
6	17	17	17					2	65,958	4		4	22,400		21	4,924
7	43	43	43	11,373	43	5	1,426	1		2		43	40	36		
8	15	15	15	3,000				1								
9	16	1	17					15	703,346	1		21		4		41
10	1	10	11	5,106			2	200								11
11	8	5		600				2								
12	9	9	9	532												
13	7	7	7												26	

- (1) The Community Music Association of Flint maintains a city wide community music program with a full time worker in charge, but maintains no play areas or centers.  
 (2) The Essex County Park Commission maintains playgrounds in Newark, Bloomfield, East Orange, Irvington, Montclair, Nutley and Orange.  
 (3) The Board of Education report includes the playground program of the Community Councils of the City of New York.  
 (4) The Recreation Council and the Girls' Council of Cleveland, Ohio, maintain a varied program of community activities under the direction of Superintendents of Recreation employed the year round.  
 (5) The activities of the Playground and Recreation Association of Wyoming Valley cover 20 towns and boroughs in Pennsylvania.  
 (6) Maintains a program of community recreation activities for colored citizens.

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160  
840

## FORM OF BEQUEST

I hereby give and bequeath to the PLAYGROUND  
AND RECREATION ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA  
the sum of.....

..... Dollars,  
to be applied to the uses and purposes of said Association.

(Signed) .....

(Date) .....



# THE PLAYGROUND AND RECREATION ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INCORPORATED

Financial Statement January 1, 1927 through December 31, 1927

General Fund Balance December 31, 1926 \$31,359.66	
Transferred to Emergency Reserve Fund 27,500.00	\$ 3,859.66

## Income

Contributions	\$ 344,149.27	
Interest and Dividends on Endowment Funds	4,263.94	
Interest	1,772.11	
Playground Sales, Subscription and Advertising	6,624.84	
Badge Sales	2,735.30	
Special Publication Sales	15,111.92	
Miscellaneous Sales	34.63	
Business Operations	401.42	
National Recreation School	2,411.00	377,504.43
		\$381,364.09

## Expenditures

Community Recreation Field Service	\$ 160,564.70	
Field Service to Colored Communities	20,834.01	
National Physical Education Service	16,013.47	
Local Employment Service	10,116.53	
National Recreation School	28,459.96	
Correspondence and Consultation Bureau	39,033.23	
Physical Efficiency Tests—Boys' and Girls' Badges	2,679.03	
Research and Publication Service	26,296.05	
Recreation Congress	12,224.56	
Year Book	3,126.81	
The Playground	21,124.01	340,472.36
		\$ 40,891.73

General Fund Balance December 31, 1927	\$ 40,891.73
Commitments December 31, 1927	123,750.00

## Park Study

(A special contribution has been pledged by the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial for the full cost of this service.)

Balance December 31, 1926	\$ 3,862.65	
Receipts to December 31, 1927	1,602.03	
	\$ 5,464.68	
Expenditures to December 31, 1927	5,464.68	

### *Vacation Service Bureau*

(A special contribution has been pledged to the Association for the cost of this service.)

Balance December 31, 1926	\$	4,931.97	
Receipts to December 31, 1927		6,551.14	
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	\$	11,483.11	
Expenditures to December 31, 1927		10,405.69	\$ 1,077.42
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### *Special Studies*

(A special contribution has been pledged by the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial for the full cost of this service.)

Balance December 31, 1926	\$	978.50	
Receipts to December 31, 1927		5,271.50	
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	\$	6,250.00	
Expenditures to December 31, 1927		5,366.66	\$ 883.34
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### *Special Field Service to Real Estate Sub-divisions*

(A special contribution has been pledged to the Association for the full cost of this service.)

Receipts to December 31, 1927	\$	7,997.25	
Expenditures to December 31, 1927		8,144.51	\$ 147.26*
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### *Special Field Service*

(A special contribution has been pledged by the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial for the full cost of this service.)

Receipts to December 31, 1927	\$	6,645.74	
Expenditures to December 31, 1927		5,627.45	\$ 1,018.29
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### *Park Recreation Service*

(A special contribution has been pledged by the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial for the full cost of this service.)

Receipts to December 31, 1927	\$	7,277.54	
Expenditures to December 31, 1927		6,360.38	\$ 917.16
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### *Interest and Dividends on Frances Ross Poley Memorial Fund*

Balance to December 31, 1926	\$	19.14	
Receipts to December 31, 1927		307.83	
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	\$	326.97	
Expenditures to December 31, 1927		239.14	\$ 87.83
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## Recapitulation

Balances December 31, 1926

General Fund	\$ 3,859.66	
Park Study	3,862.65	
Vacation Service Bureau	4,931.97	
Special Studies	978.50	
Interest on Frances Ross Poley Memorial Fund	19.14	\$ 13,651.92
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### Income

General Fund	\$ 377,504.43	
Park Study	1,602.03	
Vacation Service Bureau	6,551.14	
Special Studies	5,271.50	
Special Field Service to Real Estate Sub-Divisions	7,997.25	
Special Field Service	6,645.74	
Park Recreation Service	7,277.54	
Interest and Dividends on Frances Ross Poley Memorial Fund	307.83	\$413,157.46
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		\$426,809.38

### Expenditures

General Fund	\$ 340,472.36	
Park Study	5,464.68	
Vacation Service Bureau	10,405.69	
Special Studies	5,366.66	
Special Field Service to Real Estate Sub-Divisions	8,144.51	
Special Field Service	5,627.45	
Park Recreation Service	6,360.38	
Interest and Dividends on Frances Ross Poley Memorial Fund	239.14	\$382,080.87
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		\$ 44,728.51

Balances December 31, 1927

General Fund	\$ 40,891.73	
Vacation Service Bureau	1,077.42	
Special Studies	883.34	
Special Field Service to Real Estate Sub-Divisions	147.26*	
Special Field Service	1,018.29	
Park Recreation Service	917.16	
Interest and Dividends on Frances Ross Poley Memorial Fund	87.83	\$ 44,728.51
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Commitments December 31, 1927

General Fund	\$ 123,750.00	
Vacation Service Bureau	1,077.42	
Special Studies	883.34	
Special Field Service	1,018.29	
Park Recreation Service	917.16	
Interest and Dividends on Francis Ross Poley Memorial Fund	87.83	\$127,734.04

*Endowment and Reserve Funds*

Special Action 1910	\$ 25,000.00	
Lucy Tudo Hillyer Fund	5,000.00	
Emil C. Bondy Fund	1,000.00	
George S. Sands Fund	12,534.24	
"In Memory of" J. I. Lamprecht	3,000.00	
"In Memory of" Barney May	500.00	
"In Memory of" Waldo E. Forbes	1,403.02	
Frances Ross Poley Memorial Fund†	6,000.00	
Ellen Mills Borne Fund	3,000.00	
Other Gifts	50.00	
Emergency Reserve Fund	79,500.00	
Sarah Newlin Fund	500.00	
Frances Mooney Fund	1,000.00	
		\$138,487.26

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\*The cost of this study is pledged by a friend but the check covering same was not received in time to incorporate in this statement.

I have audited the accounts of the Playground and Recreation Association of America for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1927, and certify that the above statement is a true and correct statement of the financial transaction of the General, Special Study and Endowment Funds for the period.

(Signed) JOSEPH F. CALVERT,  
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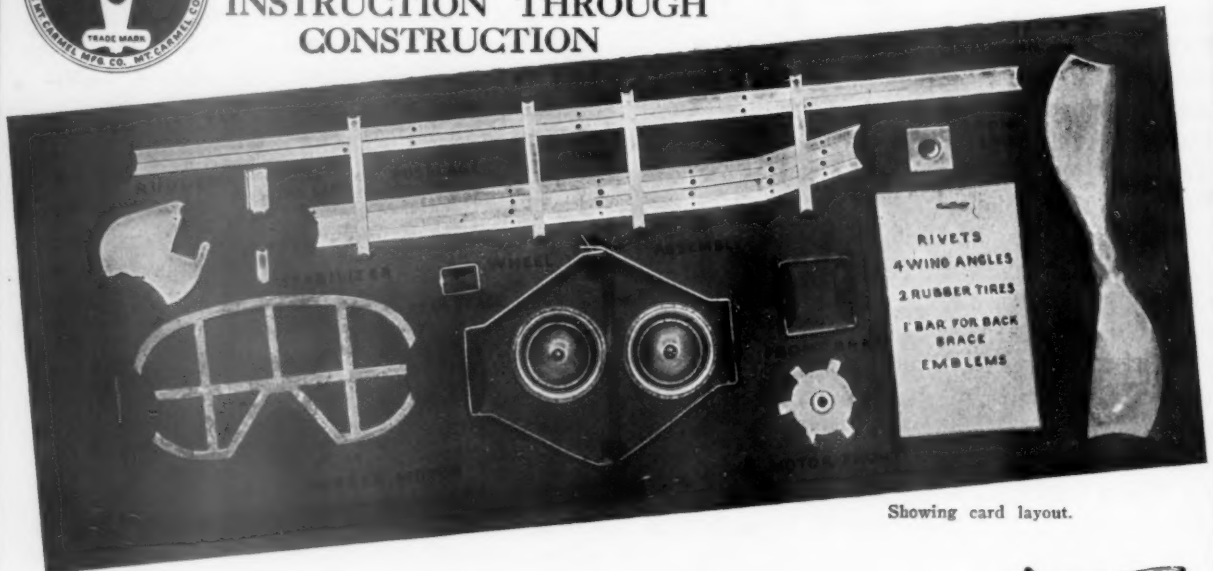
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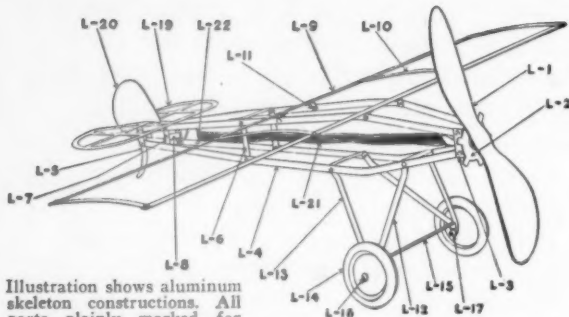


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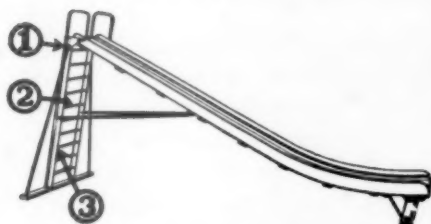
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**The Sandhill Dramatic Club.**—As an aid to social life, training in drama, as well as for financial return, six schools in Chesterfield County, South Carolina, have organized the Sandhill Dramatic Club. Each one of the schools produces a play with the faculty and local talent as actors. The play is given at each of the member schools and all of the door receipts are kept by the school at which the play is presented.

**Drama Activity in Parkersburg.**—The Children's Little Theater group of Parkersburg, West Virginia, gave their first production for the March meeting of the Dramatic Department of the Woman's Club. Forty-five children participated in giving a delightful presentation of *Silver Sandals*. Parkersburg plans in the near future to reorganize its adult Little Theater Work.

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**A Practical Dreamer.**—A piece of shore property in New London, Connecticut, which the city had allowed to become a dump heap, is the scene of this drama. A new recreation director and a number of small boys who want to go swimming are the chief actors. The recreation director, viewing the shore property, sees not a dump heap but a beautiful bathing beach. He

persuades the boys to help clean the beach and has sand hauled in. Two chicken houses which he has noticed on a farm near town become in his imagination two bath houses. Hauled to the beach on a truck the use of which the director has secured free, set up, whitewashed and repaired, the bath houses become a reality.

And now the city takes a hand. More sand is brought in, a row of dressing rooms added, toilets and drinking fountains installed, and 150 more feet of shore front are purchased. The result is an attendance of 600 a day, and a dream come true.

**Do Volunteers Stick?**—"Yes," comes the answer from Cedar Rapids, Iowa. In this city the Recreation Commission conducts periodically recreation institutes for volunteers, holding the graduates together in a play leaders' club which meets regularly. The seasonal workers are to some extent employed from these volunteers. A year ago one of the churches of the city sent twelve volunteers to the institute. At the present time nine of them are still active and are practically running the recreation program of the church, the largest in the city. When the funds of the Commission were exhausted before the year had elapsed, the ministerial association of the city, upon its own initiative, visited the Commission and offered to underwrite the cost of the program for the rest of the year so that it could be continued. The ministers reported to the Commission that it had helped the churches more than any other city department. They were eager to see the work go on.

**After One Year.**—The City Sports Committee of Santa Monica, California, appointed by the Chamber of Commerce and City Commissioners, recently reported on the first year's work. Immediately after its appointment the Sports Committee selected twenty-five or thirty different sports which it felt might well be promoted, and from which there was a demand, and appointed a committee of three to encourage each sport. At the time of the report the following sports had been developed and money had been expended from the city treasury to provide facilities:

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### **An Essay Contest in the Interest of Safety.**

—The Highway Education Board has announced its annual safety contest open to the elementary school pupils and elementary school teachers of the nation. Sixty-five hundred dollars in prizes will be given by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. Pupils are asked to write essays of 500 words in length on the subject, "Why We Have and Practice Traffic Rules." The teachers are given the subject, "Objectives and Methods of Education in Street and Highway Safety," on which they are asked to prepare practical lessons for use, not alone in their own class rooms, but by other teachers in the class rooms of the nation as well. Pupils of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades may compete, while all teachers in the eighth and lower grades are eligible to participate.

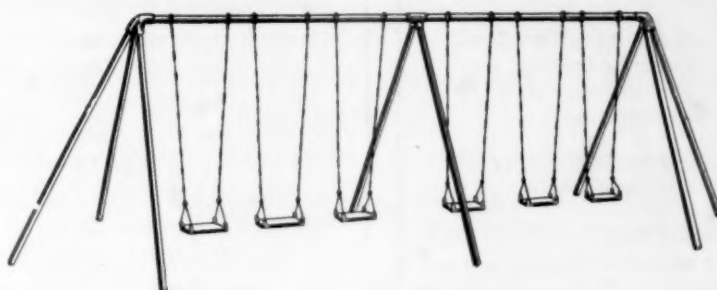
Further information may be secured from the Highway Education Board, Willard Building, Washington, D. C.

**A County Recreation Report.**—The Westchester County, New York, Recreation Commission has issued in very attractive form its yearly report of activities. It designates as its outstanding development for the year the handcraft program which has grown to such proportions that a special supervisor of handcraft has been employed. Another important development has been the decision to establish a camp for mothers;



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**Beautifying Homes and Gardens.**—In co-operation with the Charlotte, North Carolina. News, the Park and Recreation Commission of that city is conducting an exceedingly interesting project designed to create a desire for beautiful yards and gardens, from which a more beautiful city will result.

Three times a week the *Charlotte News* runs a column known as the "Charlotte Homes and Gardens," for which the Park and Recreation Commission provides the material. The column tells in detail about the planting of gardens and borders, giving suggestions for shrubs and flowers to be sent out each month. A planting plan has been issued in mimeograph form, showing the

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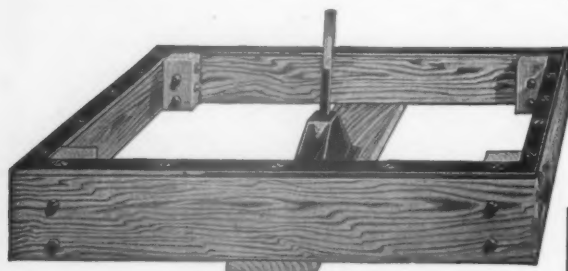
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